

# Agree to improve All paved streets, To resurface some

Agreement on a large project to improve Newmarket's paved streets was finally reached by the town council last night. The estimated cost of the project will be over \$89,000. Council decided to resurface and install storm sewers, curbing and guttering on three of the present paved streets. Three other streets will only be resurfaced.

After 15 months since the proposal was first made by Reeve Arthur D. Evans, a by-law was presented last night to resurface all of the paved streets and build storm sewers, curbs and gutters along with the resurfacing. The streets to be done were Prospect, Millard, Park, Timothy, Lorne and Church.

Mayor Joseph Vale made strong objections to doing the extra construction and advised that the streets only be resurfaced. Engineer Denne Bosworth estimated that the complete project would cost \$127,000 but that resurfacing alone would cost \$33,000. The complete job would be done under a local improvement plan with a 51 percent charge against the property owner.

"I think we must spend the \$33,000 to save our investment in the roads," said the mayor. "They are in a deplorable condition. But for the complete project I estimate an increase of one mill on the tax rate and 3 mills can be counted against the home owner," he said. The mayor said that he thought that if council went ahead on resurfacing alone, it would be finished this season. If council undertook the larger project, it would be held up by municipal board procedure and possibly some objections, he said.

Mr. Bosworth said that the complete job would cost the corporation \$63,500 and the home owners \$64,000. The average cost to the home owner would be 2 1/2 cents per foot frontage per year for 15 years. On the other hand the resurfacing at \$33,000 would be charged entirely to the town.

"This proposal has gone a long time," said Reeve Arthur D. Evans. "We have done everything we can to put this through and people have been asking for the improvements. If they could put in 14-foot roadways 20 years ago and still not be broke, we would be just passing the buck on to another council if we didn't do it now. Let's try and do a workmanlike job on these streets for a change," he said.

## Coming Events

- Friday, April 28—Bell Singers sponsored by 50-50 club in United church auditorium, Newmarket. Part of proceeds to local benefit funds. Only rush seats left at \$1.14
- Friday, April 28—Dance at Brian's Golf and Country Club, Jackson's Point under the auspices of York North Young Progressive Conservatives Club. Door prize. Buffet lunch. 50c per person. 2p-10p
- Saturday, Apr. 29—Bingo at the Aurora Legion Hall in aid of Branch 385. At 8 p.m. Jackpot \$5. clw17
- Friday, April 28—Rod and Gun Club is sponsoring a motion picture of fish and wildlife in town hall. Admission by invitation. Tickets obtainable Newmarket Sports and Cycle, Mayfair Restaurant, Spilletto's and Morrison's. 2p-10p
- Monday, May 1—Piano recital by the pupils of Mrs. Harold Pollard will be held in Keswick United church, at 8 o'clock, organized by pupils of Mrs. A. Cowleson. Collection will be taken for Organ Fund. clw15
- Monday, May 1—At 8 p.m., regular meeting of the Scout and Guide mothers' auxiliary will be held in the Scout Hall. All mothers of Scouts, Cubs, Guides and Brownies are urged to attend. Special program and refreshments. Kitchen shower for the camp. clw17
- Tuesday, May 2—Spring rally of the W.M.S. of Toronto Centre Presbyterian in Trinity United church. Commencing 10:30 a.m. Luncheon 12:30. Speaker, Mrs. Donald L. MacLean, of overseas missions. clw17
- Friday, May 5—Dance at Kettley Parish hall, sponsored by Kettley Community Club. Sally Lloyd's orchestra. Spot and novelty dances. Admission 50c. Lunch counter. Modern and old time dancing. clw17
- Friday, May 5—East Gwillimbury Rod, Gun and Conservation club extends an invitation to everyone to see motion pictures of fish and wildlife at Holland Landing Community Hall. 8 p.m. No admittance charge. clw17
- Friday, May 5—Bingo at St. John's school, Newmarket, at 8 p.m. 20 games, 2 cards, 35c. Special prizes. Share-the-wealth. Keep this date open. clw17
- Saturday, May 6—Salvage collection by Boy Scouts, both sides of town. Old papers, magazines, rags. clw17
- Sunday, May 7—At 7 o'clock. Reserve this date for special musical service by Trinity United church choir and soloists, and male quartet. Guest artist, Joy Johnston Harndend, violinist. 2p-10p
- Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat., May 10, 11, 12, 13—Optimist Club of Newmarket presents its Spring Carnival. Ferris wheel, rides, scooter races, thrills, prizes. Wednesday afternoon special children's reduced fares. At Stuart Scott school grounds. clw17
- Thursday, May 11—Annual Blossom Tea and sale of homemade baking, candy, aprons, fancywork and quilts will be held by Junior Ladies' Aid at the Christian Baptist church, from 3 to 6 p.m. clw14
- Saturday, June 17—Newmarket Veterans' Ass'n carnival and draw at Lions Club Park, Newmarket. clw17
- Afternoon tea or formal banquet. Try our private dining-room facilities. Ideal for committee meetings. Bell's Corner. Yonge St. and Davis Dr. Phone 900-0. clw15
- Dance to Norm Burling and his Kingsmen at Beaton Memorial auditorium every Friday night. Admission 75c and 50c. clw14
- Food Haven Inn, outskirts of Bradford, specializing in Chinese dishes. "Chicken in the nest", steaks, chops. Catering. Phone Bradford 244-4. clw14
- Dance at Aurora High School Auditorium every Saturday night. Admission 50c. clw14
- Dancing every Saturday evening at Club 14, Newmarket. Max Boag and his orchestra. clw14
- Dance to Norm Burling and his Kingsmen at Belhaven hall every Saturday night. Jack-pot and other prizes. Admission 50c. Catering lunch. clw14
- Dance to Norm Burling and his Kingsmen in the new Community hall at Bondhead hall every Wednesday. Will accommodate about 400 people. Modern and old time dancing. clw14



Two past presidents of the Newmarket branch of the Canadian Legion cut the cake at the fourth birthday celebrations held Wednesday night last week. They are past presidents Hunt Taylor and T. M. Ewing. Mayor Joseph Vale presented 1950 president Cecil Jarvis with the deed to the Legion hall property, the sale of which was recently authorized by council. In return President Jarvis presented a cheque to the mayor for the first instalment payment. Photo by Budd.

# 81 percent tested In diabetic survey 'Taught us much'

Dr. A. L. Chute congratulated Newmarket for the highest coverage found in any diabetic survey to date when he addressed an open meeting in the town hall on Tuesday evening. Eighty-one percent of the total population over six years of age were tested in the recently conducted diabetes detection survey.

Fifty-four persons were found to have diabetes or 1.2 percent of the total number tested. Of this group 21 were newly diagnosed cases. Dr. Chute said this was the first approximation of the incidence of diabetes in Canada and it can be surmised that if among the 4,000 persons tested there were roughly 20 new cases discovered, then in Ontario with a population of four millions, it could be expected that there would be 20,000 persons who have diabetes, but who are unaware of that fact. Early diagnosis and treatment will greatly lengthen the lives of diabetes patients and will reduce the possibilities of complications.

Diabetes is not a reportable disease as are small pox or diphtheria and so there is no way of knowing how great a problem diabetes is in Canada. It was to find out the importance of diabetes in a community that this survey was conducted. Newmarket was selected as the location for the test because its population was fairly representative in distribution of age, sex and employment groups of the picture presented by the provincial population.

Dr. Chute is the organizer of the Newmarket survey. He is a senior physician at the Hospital for Sick Children and is associate professor, Banting and Best department of medical research, University of Toronto. During the last war, Dr. Chute was in charge of a mobile research unit and was primarily interested in shock.

Dr. Chute originated Illahee Lodge, Coburg, a camp for diabetic children and youngsters suffering from certain types of respiratory and cardiac ailments. Since its formation it has been financed by the Kinsmen's service club and provides an opportunity for children to enjoy camp life who otherwise because of restricted diet and therapy would never have had such an opportunity.

A total of 4,421 were tested in the Newmarket survey. Of this group, 2,210 were males and 2,211 were females. There were 842 non-residents included in that total. The population of the town as established by the project was 4,800 with 500 under six years of age. From this final 4,300 were eligible for inclusion in the survey 3,500 were tested—81 percent.

# North county fights 'Toronto grab', Set aside city amalgamation plan York asks municipal board today

## North united Against Proposal

Reeves, deputy reeves and clerks of 14 northern municipalities not included in the City of Toronto's amalgamation proposal unanimously passed a resolution Tuesday night strongly opposing what was described by several speakers as "the Toronto grab". Northern representatives from the county attended a dinner meeting at the King George hotel sponsored by the Newmarket council.

Deputy-Reeve Joseph Spilletto moved the resolution against the city of Toronto's annexation plan. The motion was seconded by R. J. Pollock, deputy reeve of North Gwillimbury, who said that it was evident that not only would the municipalities taken into the amalgamation lose by the city of Toronto's proposal, but those "forgotten 14 municipalities" in the northern area would suffer, too.

"There is strength in unity," Deputy-Reeve Pollock said. "The hour is at hand when we should stand together and support the warden of York County and his committees in their stand to date. I shudder to think of a day when we in the northern municipalities would have to stand alone."

W. W. Gardhouse, treasurer of the County of York, said that the northern municipalities have a special interest in Toronto's amalgamation plan because, he said, costs for county services would be increased by more than 100 percent for the 14 northern municipalities after annexation. He said that 32 percent of the inmates of the County House of Refuge came from the northern municipalities; 22 percent of the Children's Aid cases and 21 percent of the county hospital cases also came from the northern areas of the county.

"Nobody likes being pushed into a corner," declared Reeve Elmer Brandon, Swansea. "We were told that annexation must be completed at a certain date—or else. What's the rush? I assure you there is no need for this hurry. One million people are involved in this deal. That's a quarter of the population of Ontario. What's going to happen to our financial investments? There is a problem that affects every citizen of the County of York."

Reeve Brandon asked: "Is it fair to you in the north to have to maintain county roads after annexation, when you already have the heavy end of the roads? Toronto trucks will still use your roads after annexation, if and when it comes. But you will still have to keep the roads in good order."

Indication that "something big" is in the air in the County of York's opposition to the amalgamation proposal was felt at the meeting although nothing definite was stated. Warden Clive M. Sinclair told the meeting that the solicitors of the municipalities mentioned in the city's proposal were unwilling under the counsel of C. P. McTague, who would oppose the city's proposal before the Ontario municipal board.

Warden Sinclair charged that the facts of the "Toronto grab" had not been published anywhere except in the Financial Post. "There is need for some form of unification in the county," he said. "The metropolitan county plan would make it possible to unify some of the essential services, and still allow the smaller municipalities to retain their freedom and individuality."

Warden Sinclair expressed the view that he didn't think the amalgamation proposal of Toronto would be settled by June or by the beginning of 1951. He announced that a special meeting of York county council would open Wednesday afternoon to discuss the amalgamation issue.

Col. Dale Harris described to the meeting the results of a study the firm of McDonald and Currie had made in which it was estimated that costs of county services would increase 100 percent for the municipalities in the northern area of the county which would not be taken in by the Toronto proposal.

## Mill increase forecast

"The forecast for the mill rate is bad enough this year," commented Mayor Joseph Vale last night. At a special council meeting to deal with road improvements, the mayor expressed concern about the expenditures for this year and next year.

"The clerk's first estimate was for 55 mills this year

but we have been able to whittle that down somewhat," said J. L. Spilletto, chairman of the finance committee.

Councillor Frank Bowser expressed a fear that "there is a possibility that we will find a 7 or 8 mill increase next year."

Council is expected to strike the mill rate at the meeting next Monday.

# Arena net profit Said to be \$7000, Ask for floor

The installation of a floor in the Newmarket Memorial arena which would enable the building to be used for all summer activities was made to council Monday night. Fred S. Thompson and Dewey Kuhns told council that \$20,000 would be needed to put a floor in the arena and cover the present deficit.

An extension to allow for a corridor to relieve congestion on the arena's south side was also suggested. According to the committee workers on the arena project and management, a net profit of \$7,000 was made since the arena was opened with artificial ice.

"We have shown that we can make money operating this arena and the profit represents a period that really started in January," said Mr. Kuhns. "We were green at the job to start. With this experience behind us we will really make money next year," he said.

A sample of the flooring material was shown to council. The material would be poured like cement four and a half inches thick around the pipes. Basketball, dances, roller skating and even cattle and horse shows

## HOLD SERVICE TODAY FOR TERRY BALES

The funeral service is being held in Newmarket at 2:30 this afternoon for Terry Bales, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bales, formerly of Newmarket. The 18-month-old boy was killed on Tuesday by a train at Rosebank station 12 miles west of Oshawa.

He was the grandson of Mrs. C. Bales and Mr. and Mrs. Everett Miller, Newmarket.

The child had been playing with his three-year-old sister, Susan, and ran toward the railway tracks a few hundred feet from his home. His mother was chasing him to catch him from the path of the train but she was too late. The small boy thought his mother was playing a game with him and ran into the side of the C.N.R. "extra" which left Toronto at 8:30 a.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Bales lived in Newmarket previously and he now works in Aurora. They had planned to move from their present home back to the Newmarket district.

The funeral service is being held at the Roadhouse and Rose chapel.

## Minstrels perform again At Town Hall Monday

The Newmarket Lions club is presenting its Minstrel Show again on Monday night in the town hall. The unprecedented demand for tickets, has resulted in five sell-out performances to date.

At the last two regular performances, Friday and Monday nights, many had to be turned away, an occasion for regret on the part of the Lions who had not anticipated such a large turn-out. As in the previous performances, reserve seats are at Best's Drug Store.

## Red Shield campaign Objective \$2,000 Drive starts Monday

The Salvation Army Red Shield campaign starts on Monday, May 1, and continues until the end of the month. The total objective for Newmarket and district is \$2,000 according to Lieut. R. J. Henderson.

The chairman of the drive this year is J. O. Little and treasurer, K. G. Flett. Canvassers will be calling at homes in Newmarket and district and donations may also be left with Ken Flett at the Bank of Montreal or with Lieut. Henderson. The funds go to assist the local work of the Salvation Army which is called many times to find missing persons, assist burned out families, persons in trouble and to aid families at the Christmas season and many other times.

The funds also go to the national work of the Salvation Army. The Army is always on hand at such disasters as the Noronic fire, the B.C. floods to do relief work. The Army spent \$80,000 on relief work in the floods alone. During the burning of the Noronic fire, Lieut. Henderson was called to the scene from Newmarket to aid the relief workers, a great many of whom were Army personnel.

Every ex-serviceman who knew of the work of the Salvation Army during the war will assure anyone that no organization put forth more unselfish effort than the "Sally Ann" under any kind of circumstances.

An important meeting of the Sunnyhills sub-division home owners association will be held at the V.L.A. office, 14 Millard Ave., tonight at 8 p.m.

All residents and prospective residents of the sub-division are requested to attend.

# Season's traffic hazards high Watch children, Burbidge warns

A special warning has been issued by Chief Constable Byron Burbidge of Newmarket. With such a high proportion of children involved in fatal accidents he has reminded all motorists of the need for extreme watchfulness when driving near where children live or play.

Parents are urged to caution children about traffic hazards and encourage the use of safe places for play away from streets and highways. "Children face a dangerous amount of motor traffic in Newmarket especially at this time of year when the seasonal upswing in motor traffic begins," the chief constable points out.

"As motor traffic continues to increase, so must our efforts to promote street and highway safety," he says. "Everyone who drives must recognize his own individual responsibility for preventing accidents."

**SCOUT SALVAGE**  
The Newmarket Boy Scouts will collect newspaper salvage on a regular schedule of the last Saturday of every second month with the exception of May when salvage will be collected May 6. Proceeds from the collection are used for Scout activities. Both sides of town will be canvassed on the same day.

## McTague Opens County Offensive

A formal motion of protest was presented to the Ontario municipal board at 10 o'clock in Toronto this morning. C. P. McTague and municipal solicitors presented the motion of protest from York county as opposition to Toronto's amalgamation and annexation proposal.

The legal objections presented to the board were based on several grounds but the strong objection is that not enough facts and figures relevant to amalgamation have been made available to anyone.

The Era and Express learned from a reliable source yesterday that C. P. McTague, K.C., acting for the County of York, would appear this morning. With him would be the solicitors representing all municipalities of the amalgamation area except Mimico and Toronto to present a motion formally opposing the city's proposal.

The motion was on the following grounds: that the proposed so-called amalgamation was not an amalgamation, that the Toronto proposal affects only parts of Scarborough and Etobicoke.

In asking that the proposal be thrown out, the county representatives were to issue a motion asking that the whole amalgamation matter be submitted to the people of Toronto for a vote after all the information concerning amalgamation has been presented to the people. They were also to ask for time to obtain the facts and reveal them to the people.

The City of Toronto recently shipped out questionnaires to the clerks of the municipalities in the amalgamation area. A large amount of municipal information was asked for such as facts about services, roads, number of hydrants, etc. The county is asking how many of these questions are relevant to amalgamation or not relevant. The questions are ones that would be reasonable only after amalgamation and not before, the county claims.

Since the Toronto questionnaires have been sent, the municipalities have subsequently sent similar questions to the City of Toronto.

An agreement was made previously that Toronto would issue a brief on all the amalgamation facts in its possession. "It is not a brief at all," claims Clive Sinclair, county warden. The municipalities argue that they can not file a brief to the municipal board in answer to the city's brief because they have nothing to answer. They have three weeks after Toronto has filed its brief to file their own.

"There is no factual information in the Toronto brief," says the warden. "The data we expected to find in the brief isn't there at all. We are going to file a brief with the board but first of all we want to know what we have to answer."

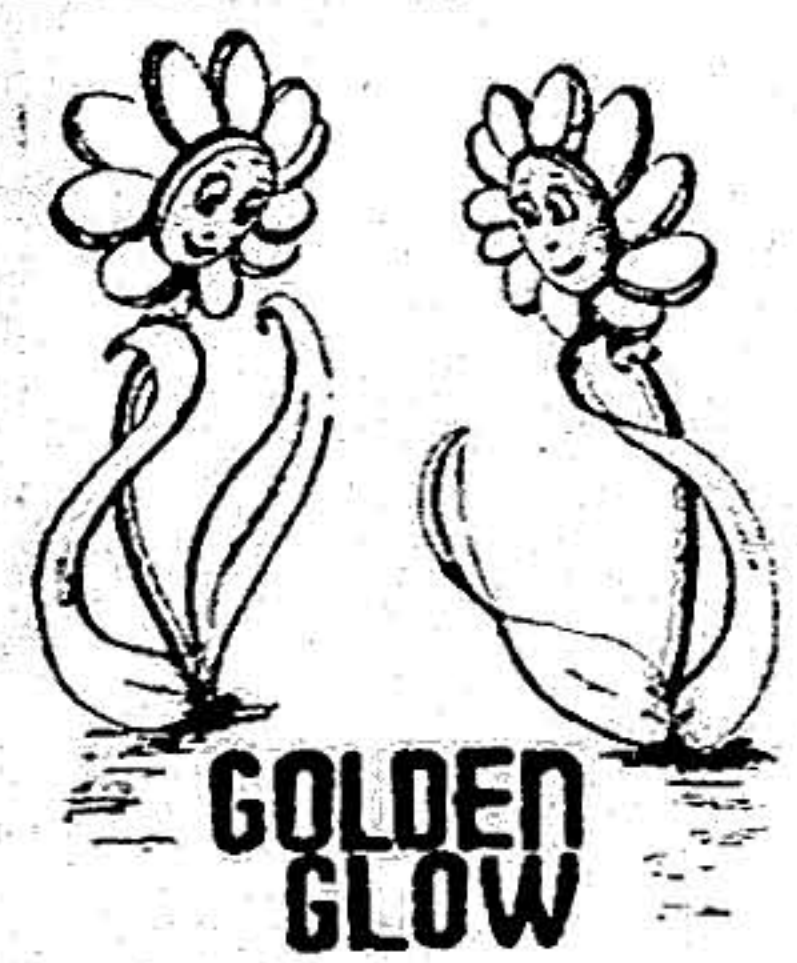
## ARCHERY CLUB

The Newmarket Archery Club meets every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. at the rifle range in the drill hall at the former Newmarket campsite. Anyone interested in archery is invited to join in these weekly shoots. For further information call H. Markham, 16621, or Orla Larsen, 19841.



## Schomberg News

## "BURROMETER"



I have a friend spending the winter months in California where they have been enjoying glorious sunshine while we have been wondering whether spring really was "just around the corner," or was taking a walk around the block.

They went to Los Angeles, that most interesting Pacific coast city, and down to the Mexican quarters and sent me a picture postcard of a specially interesting street called Olvera St. El Paso De Los Angeles. "The Pathway of the Angels." Olvera St. was the old trail down which Governor Felipe de Neve led his colonists when he founded Los Angeles in 1781. In this quaint "Old California" street, where Mexican craftsmen make and display their wares, is located the "Old Avila Adobe" where Commodore Stockton had his headquarters during the American conquest.

They wrote on the card "We were on Olvera St. which is one block long, and we were in the oldest house in Los Angeles, which is on this street. We bought a little souvenir for you and will be mailing it."

You'd never guess what it is! It arrived tonight and after a day of chilling rain and high winds it certainly was exactly like a breath of the sunny skies of California, so cheery and so comical as well. I wonder if I can describe it.

First of all it is made of California wood. Made to hang up—and it is called a "Burrometer." You know they call mules by the musical name of burros in California, never mule or donkey, just "burro." Round the edge of the wooden plaque is painted a border in bright red and yellow and green. Under the word, "burrometer," it says "Hang Outdoors." On the smooth surface of the wood is painted sort of foot hills in bright yellow, with cactus plants and a tall flowering yucca, a Mexican jar, and another daisy-like flower—all this is a background for the brown colored burro, standing with his tail in the foreground, and he has his head turned looking over his shoulder, evidently braying, and his long ears standing up straight, and he is rolling his eyes at you as you look at him.

But it is the tail! The tail is a little end of soft fluffy cotton string, securely fastened through to the other side, and underneath are these words:

"If tail is dry — FAIR  
If tail is wet — RAIN  
If tail is frozen — COLD  
If tail is moving — WINDY  
If tail is gone—CYCLONE.  
—Olvera St., Los Angeles"

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Davis visited friends in Aurora on Friday afternoon.

Miss Beryl Clouter received many useful and beautiful gifts at a shower on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Betty Edwards, and on Wednesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Coulter.

Mrs. James Rae, Mrs. H. Fizzell and Mrs. James O'Neil spent Thursday in Toronto.

A business and work meeting was held on Thursday afternoon in the basement of the Anglican church.

Mrs. McKinley and Della and Mrs. Wilfred Aitchison were in Toronto on Tuesday.

Mr. Roy Dixon was in Toronto on Friday attending the funeral of Mr. J. Armstrong, a traveller for York Trading, who has been serving the merchants of Schomberg for a number of years.

A large crowd attended the play presented by the Beeton young people under the auspices of the mission band of the United church here on Wednesday evening.

Mr. T. Proctor has been under the doctor's care for quite a few days. We wish him a speedy recovery.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mrs. Cecil Watson in honor of Miss Alda Walker prior to her marriage, on Tuesday evening, April 18.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Moody and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wauchupe were on a trip to Montreal the past week.

Miss Joyce Wauchupe and Mrs. J. Foran were in Toronto Saturday visiting Miss Eva Carr who has been seriously ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bennett of Maple visited Mr. E. Aitchison and Cora.

Schomberg softball fans can prepare for another busy season at the park.

Early indications point to three teams representing the village, two men's and one ladies'. Schomberg's number one team will contest for the North York title and the Joe Spilletto Trophy won by Aurora last year. Entries in the North York loop include Newmarket, Aurora, Langstaff, Lansing and Woodbridge. Two new entries, Thistleton and Richmond Hill, are expected to seek admission to increase the league membership to eight.

Home games, under the lights, in all probability will be Thursday with an early start due about the middle of May. Elgin Hastings is expected to coach the team and Art Walker is being approached to take on the manager-ship.

Schomberg's second team will be back in the King-Vaughan League. Opposition in this case will be King, Nobleton and possibly Bolton. Coach of the team is Bob Moody and manager Albert "Pike" Cable.

As no league is available for the ladies' team, exhibition games will be sought with Kettleby and Bond Head as was the case last season. Elgin Hastings has the double duty of coaching and managing the ladies' team.

The floodlights installed at the Schomberg Park last summer mainly due to the efforts of the Lions club, proved a huge success and even greater use of the lights is planned for this season. The lights are expected to be turned on around May 1 so the teams can start their spring practices.



A discovery of what could be part of an Indian burial ground four miles south of Jackson's Point was made a group of boys on a picnic last Saturday. The discoverers are shown here near one of the skeletons they found when they were cleaning cooking utensils in the soil. The spot is a picnic ground from which a foot of top soil was removed last year, explaining why the bones were so near the surface. The boys belong to the Variety Club, Toronto, which has ten members who go on a picnic nearly every Saturday. Their leader, Les Carter, estimated the bones found were well over 100 years old and from the presence of small wisdom teeth, believed the person buried to be 12 or 13 years old. The bones were sent to the University of Toronto.

News of the W.I.  
In North York

News for this column must be in the office Monday night. Copy must be written as briefly as possible and confined to news and reports. Other than routine reports and announcements will be printed separately.

The April meeting of the Zephyr branch was held in the community hall on Wednesday, April 19, and 17 ladies were present. Mrs. Carl Meyers, president, in the chair, and Mrs. A. Clelland as hostess. Roll call: "Pay your fee." Several items of business were discussed and dealt with, then a short program of community singing, a reading by Miss Crosby, and one by Mrs. Galbraith completed the program. Lunch was served and a social half-hour was enjoyed. A full report of the new officers will be given next month.

Union Street branch meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Douglas Beckett on Thursday, May 4. Roll call: "Exchange of plant slips." Topic: Agriculture and Canadian Industries. Program committee, Mrs. Lorne Mahoney, Mrs. D. Beckett, Mrs. J. Bertolin, Mrs. W. Beckett. Hostesses, Mrs. F. Perry, Mrs. W. Moulds, Mrs. F. Graham, Mrs. D. Smith.

The May meeting of Sharon branch will be held at the home of Mrs. Russell Donaldson on Wednesday, May 3, at 2:30 p.m. Roll call: Pay your fee. Community singing, paper by Mrs. J. S. Osborne. Current events, Mrs. A. Shaw. Exchange of bulbs. Refreshment committee, Mrs. E. Fry, Mrs. N. Crone, Mrs. Elgin Evans.

The Vandorf branch's regular meeting was held at the home of Mrs. F. Van Nostrand on Wednesday afternoon, April 19, with a good attendance. Mrs. Geo. E. Richardson presided. It was decided to adopt a Greek child ten to 12 yrs. of age.

Splendid reports of the standing committees were read. The topic was a question box with several interesting and instructive questions and answers. Some caused good discussion. The Bring and Buy Sale consisting of cakes, buns, hand-made flowers, towels, jam and jelly and canned goods was a great success.

Mrs. Grant Morley was chosen chairman for the election of officers and Mrs. Arthur Van Nostrand gave the report of the nominating committee which is as follows:

Hon. pres., Miss Louise Carroll; pres., Mrs. G. E. Richardson, re-elected; first vice pres., Mrs. H. C. Powell; second vice pres., Mrs. A. Richardson; third vice pres., Mrs. Grant Morley; sec.-treas., Mrs. F. Van Nostrand; assist., Mrs. Gordon Mackey; district director, Mrs. H. A. White; directors, Mrs. A. Van Nostrand, Mrs. J. Wright, Mrs. Floyd Preston;

Standing committees, agriculture and Canadian Industries, Mrs. Rollie Scott, Mrs. S. Eade, Mrs. C. Ball, Mrs. J. Irwin and Mrs. C. Pattenden; Citizenship and Education, Mrs. S. Stevenson, Mrs. F. Avis, Mrs. A. Van Nostrand, Mrs. Sullivan, Mrs. M. Loucks;

Home Economics and Health, Mrs. Harold Sleeth, Mrs. S. Aylett, Mrs. C. Pogue, Mrs. H. Hillary, Mrs. Nidery, Mrs. Floyd Preston; Historical Research and Current Events, Mrs. Harold Dewbury, Mrs. A. Richardson, Mrs. J. Wright, Mrs. R. J. McCarron, Mrs. A. Pattenden; Com-

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## ROCHE'S POINT

Miss Druke, Toronto, spent the weekend with the Misses Young.

Mr. E. J. Bunn is slightly improved and we hope will soon be around again his cheerful self.

Buzz-sawing wood seems the order of spring business these days.

Glad to hear Mrs. Chalmers is improving.

Mr. Peeling, Holland Landing, will take the service on Sunday, April 30, as Mr. Hutt will be in Toronto for that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle were visiting in Sutton on Monday.

There will be a euchre in the Memorial Club Tuesday, April 25, sponsored by the Eastern Star. It will be a benefit euchre for the Cancer Fund.

Guests of relatives in the city of Galt this weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cooper, Billie and Gordon, and Mrs. Doug Cooper, Sutton West.

A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mills, Francis St., Galt, Sunday, when Mrs. Doug Cooper and her brother, Frank, met for the first time in 31 years. Charlie Mills, only other member of the family in Canada, was present.

(Too late for last week)

On Friday, April 14, there was a shower for Miss Betty Willoughby. About 150 were present and among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ken Blain, recently arrived from England, and who were given a shower the week before. Mr. Blain has been stationed in Trenton.

The bride-to-be received many useful and beautiful presents. The floor was cleared and dancing was enjoyed by all. Refreshments were then served and after a very enjoyable evening the company dispersed.

## ARMITAGE

The Armitage Community Club held its regular meeting on Friday, April 21. Mr. DeWitt of the National Film Board showed some very interesting pictures of Newfoundland.

Our Community Club is holding its euchre on Wednesday, May 3, in the Armitage school house at 8.15. Let's have a good turn out.

A recession is a period in which you tighten your belt. In a depression you have no belt to tighten. And when you have no pants left to hold up, it's a panic.

was the convenors' reports, also a report of year's work and the financial report given by sec.-treas. Mrs. H. Boynton. The Wednesday, May 3, meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. H. Boynton. The meeting will start sharp at 2 o'clock. Roll-call: "questions on the W.I. handbook." Hostesses are Mrs. C. Hodgins, Mrs. O. B. Peters, Mrs. L. Pollock.

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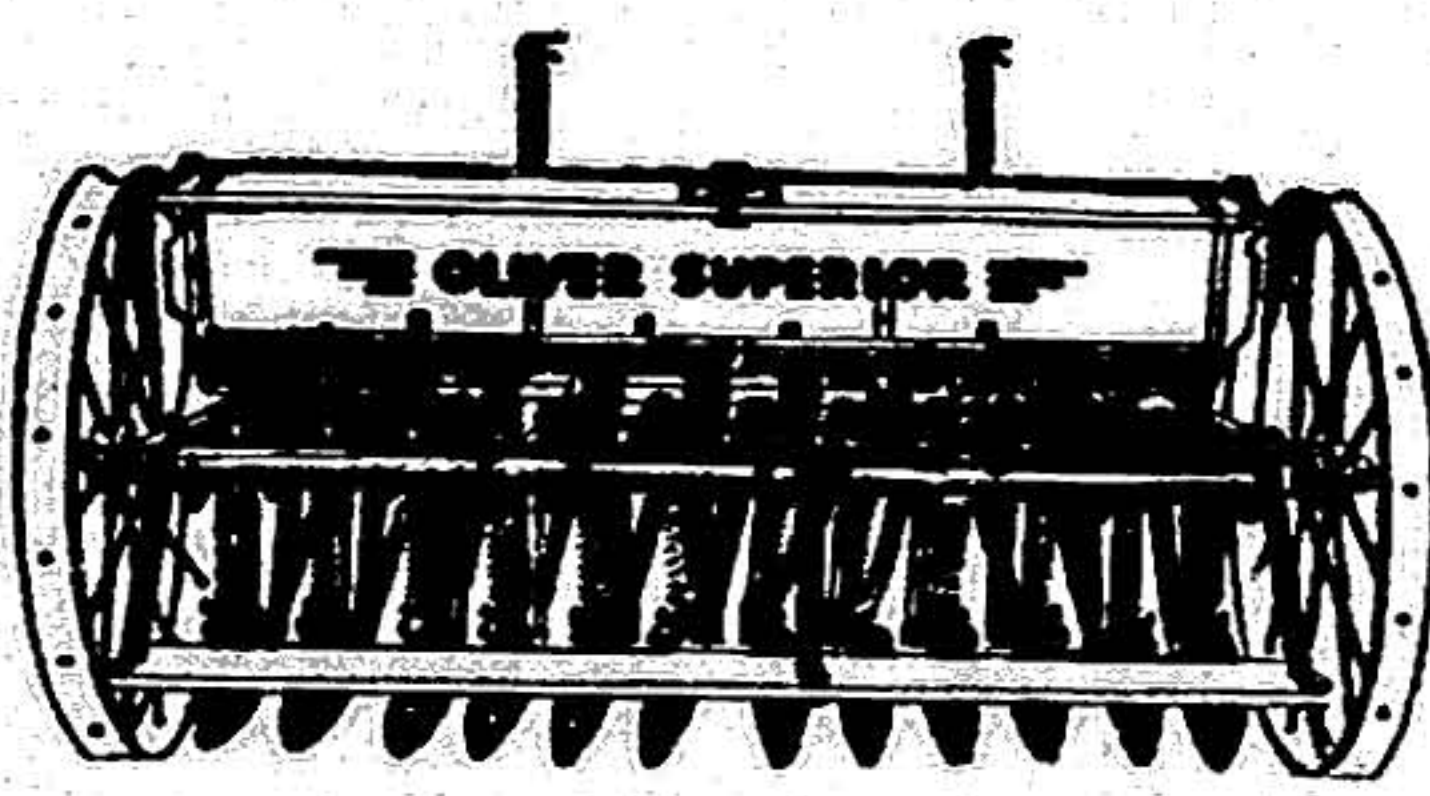
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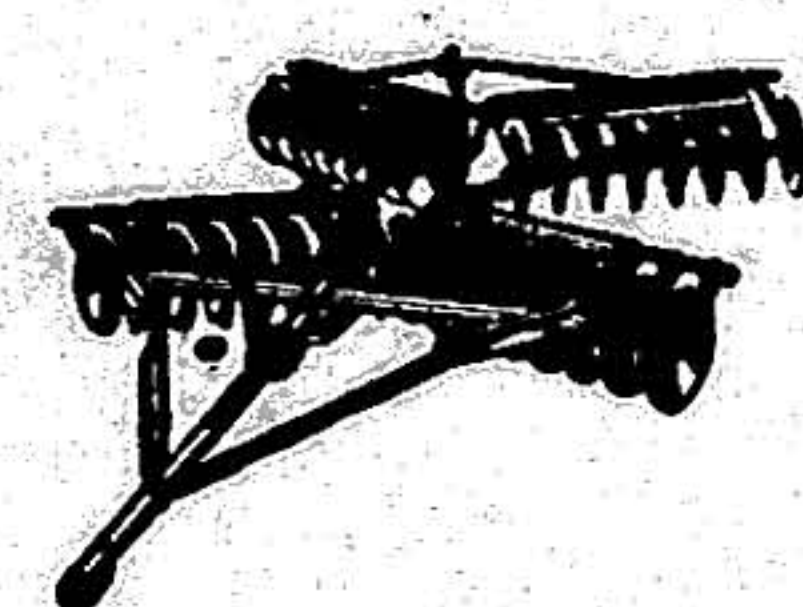
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READING CLUB  
HEARS TALK ON  
CHURCHILL, BOOKS

Last Friday evening, the New-  
market Women's Reading Club  
had an open meeting to which  
they invited their friends, men  
and women, to hear Mr. A. J.  
Carson give an address on  
Churchill and review his latest  
book.  
There were 100 or more inter-  
ested listeners to hear the splen-  
did talk by the guest speaker  
who must have put many hours  
of study on his address to bring  
out so many salient facts in the  
time given. Many appreciative  
comments were heard on all  
sides, and one and all feel grate-  
ful to Mr. Carson for his master-  
ful handling of the subject so  
prominent again in everyone's  
minds, and of a personality so  
endeared by his magnificent  
work during the war.  
Dr. Gilbert, accompanied by  
Mrs. Gilbert, sang two appropri-  
ate solos in his usual genial man-  
ner, "Bless This House, O Lord  
We Pray," and "Land of Hope  
and Glory." Then a social-half  
hour was enjoyed and Trinity  
United Sunday-school room was  
gay with merry talk and laugh-  
ter over coffee and doughnuts  
served by members of the club.

HOPE HOBBY CLUB  
APRIL MEETING

The Hope Hobby Club met at  
Mrs. Jas. Lunney's home, Sharon,  
on Tuesday, April 18, with an  
average attendance. Mrs. John  
Farr, the president, led commu-  
nity singing, with Mrs. E. F.  
Ramsay at the piano. The roll  
call: "How many generations a  
Canadian Am I?" led back in  
some cases to four. May roll call  
will be "My favorite flower and  
suggestions for the annual bus or  
motor trip."

Cards from those remembered  
were read and a letter from a  
former president, Mrs. McNern,  
brought cheerful greetings. At-  
tendance at the organization  
meeting of East Gwillimbury  
township for the Federation of  
Agriculture was urged for Wed-  
nesday evening. Mrs. Allan  
Balsdon read a script on "Better  
with Butter," also a first prize  
essay on "A Country Woman's  
Day," reprinted in the Rural Co-  
operator.

Current events were given by  
Mrs. Espeland and a very inter-  
esting question box conducted  
by Mrs. F. Ramsay. The club de-  
cided to hold the May meeting  
at the Sharon hall, and invite  
anyone interested to hear Mrs.  
Howard Cane speak on the  
needs of York County hospital.  
Members will serve lunch. Thus  
everyone is urged to keep the  
date in mind—May 16.

ST. JAMES'S W.A.  
TO PACK BOXES  
AGAIN FOR MISSIONS

The W.A. of St. James' church,  
Sharon, held its April meeting  
on the 19th, one week later be-  
cause of the mission slides shown  
the week before to groups from  
the village, Jersey, Roche's  
Point, Sutton and Newmarket.  
Mrs. J. M. Ewing explained the  
films of the Anglican Training  
School. Mrs. Andrews gave a  
very brief talk on missions in  
China. About 65 enjoyed a so-  
cial hour at the close.

Mrs. R. J. Rogers was hostess  
last Wednesday. Mrs. E. Kiteley  
presided in the absence of Mrs.  
F. Hall who was absent because  
of ill health. Mrs. Mabbett gave  
the Scripture reading, Mrs. A.  
Thomas read "A Church on  
Wheels," in Northern Sudan.  
Mrs. Kiteley, Mrs. Thomas and  
Mrs. Vanstone were nominated  
delegates to the annual diocesan  
meeting at St. Anne's Parish  
House, Toronto, May 2-4, with  
Mrs. F. Hall, Mrs. Phillips and  
Mrs. Wilmot substitutes.

It was decided to have a tea  
and bake sale early in June. A  
new Dorsal curtain is being  
planned for the church. It was  
resolved to pack bales again for  
the western missions next month  
with ditty bags, and to hold the  
usual bazaar in the fall. Deep  
appreciation of the hospitality of  
Mrs. Rogers was expressed, as  
she assumed her duties as regis-  
tered nurse at 4 p.m. and left  
the refreshment committee in  
charge.

PINE ORCHARD

Word has been received of the  
death of Frank L. Widdifield of  
Luvorn, North Dakota. Mr. Widi-  
field was the younger brother of  
the late Nelson Widdifield and  
is survived by his widow  
and seven children.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lehman  
and children visited recently Mr.  
and Mrs. Ford Lehman, Thorn-  
bury.

Misses Joan and Barbara  
Hoidge, Etobicoke, were recent  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. Allen  
and Miss Aletha Widdifield.

Mr. Beverly Grindell, Toronto,  
spent the weekend at his home.  
Miss Emily Frances has re-  
turned from Toronto where she  
spent the winter months.

The young people of Union  
church presented their religious  
drama, "The Great Inheritance,"  
at Wesley United church on  
Sunday evening, April 23.

Sunday-school at the Union  
church on Sunday, April 30, at  
1.30 p.m. and church at 2.30  
p.m. daylight saving time.

Music Recital

Thursday evening in the Sun-  
day-school room, the music pu-  
pils of Mrs. Shapter and Mrs.  
Cummings held a very fine re-  
cital which was well attended by  
parents and friends. During the  
program, Rev. Shapter, who was  
chairman, paid a very fitting  
tribute to the late Miss E. Leek  
saying what a wonderful contribu-  
tion she had made in the com-  
munity by her years of teaching  
and in interesting children in the  
study of music. Since taking  
over her work they had found  
out what a wonderful training  
her pupils had had. Mrs. Shap-  
ter and her daughter, Mrs. Cum-  
mings, very kindly offered their  
help by teaching when the par-  
ents were at a loss for a teacher  
when Miss Leek passed on leav-  
ing a large class without a teach-  
er. To show their appreciation,  
both ladies were presented with  
a lovely bouquet of flowers at  
the close of the evening. A small  
charge had been made which  
was for the firemen's fund and  
\$26.25 was given. Thus the chil-  
dren did their bit.

Next Saturday, the Women's  
Institute will hold a baking sale  
at Stevens' Store at 3 p.m., the  
proceeds are for the firemen's  
fund. If you care to help, do so.

W.I. Record

Mount Albert Women's Insti-  
tute had a membership last year  
of 58, and one feels the public  
should know some of the many  
worthwhile things done by the  
organization. The receipts for  
the year were \$1,006.92 and ex-  
penditures were \$986.33, so only  
the small sum of \$20.59 is left to  
begin next year's work. They  
made their money by serving  
supper on Sports Day, card  
parties, collections, etc., and  
spent it by giving the Canadian  
National Institute of the Blind  
\$49.10; park board, \$114.68; Sal-

ANSNORVELD

Mrs. W. Parry, Burk's Falls,  
visited at the home of her par-  
ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. VanDyke,  
who have just returned from a  
visit to The Netherlands.

Mr. and Mrs. E. DeJong have  
also returned from a visit to The  
Netherlands.

The cold weather has kept  
back the work on the fields.  
Some seeding is being done but  
not to a great extent.

The marriage of Miss B. Rad-  
der to Mr. A. Geertsema took  
place at the Christian Reformed  
church last Thursday. A wed-  
ding reception was held at the  
Labor Camp in the evening.

ELMHURST BEACH

Thanks go to Mrs. Cliff Ker-  
rison for opening her home April  
18 for the W.A. euchre. These  
euchres will be in the parish hall  
from now on.

The Lakeview Bowling League  
had its inter-team playoffs on  
April 19. Fred Horsefield's team  
was the winner of the season.  
On this team were Fred Horse-  
field, Joe Williams, Edna Sedore,  
Phyllis Morrissey, Norma Muel-  
ler and Mildred Sedore. The in-  
dividual prizewinners of the sea-  
son are: Norma Mueller, Roger  
Dew, Edith McClelland, Roger  
La Rue, Robert Dew and Joe  
Williams. The league is having  
its banquet on May 6 at "The  
Briars," Jackson's Point.

**Vote Favors School**  
The ratepayers of S.S. No. 1,  
Jersey, had a vote on April 21 as  
to whether or not we have a  
new school in this section. Many  
ratepayers were present from  
Toronto and the vote was 93 for  
and 73 against, so Jersey school  
won't be having classes in the  
fresh air after all. J. D. Lucas,  
K.C., conducted the meeting.

Misses Doris Pollock and Od-  
na Anderson spent the weekend  
at their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Lunn  
have returned home after a  
lengthy visit in Philadelphia  
where they were entertained by  
Mrs. Lunn's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webber  
spent the weekend with Mrs.  
Webber's parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
W. C. Lunn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Gibney  
and Muriel called on Mr. and  
Mrs. Carl Anderson on Sunday,  
April 23.

Miss Geer, Toronto Normal  
School, was the guest student  
teacher at Jersey school last  
week.

Mr. Bob Everest and a friend,  
both of Toronto Normal School,  
stayed with Mr. and Mrs. Chas.  
Hodgins last week while they  
were practice teaching in this  
district.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stephens  
had Sunday dinner with Mr. and  
Mrs. Leslie Stephens on the oc-  
casion of Mrs. Les. Stephens' birthday.

UNION ST.

Mr. Kenneth Rogers is driv-  
ing a new car. Congratulations  
and happy motoring.  
Larry Murphy, Newmarket,  
spent the weekend with Murray  
Sedore.

Mr. Gordon Evans, Toronto,  
called on Mrs. Fred Evans on  
Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivor Wnlsh,  
Chellenham, and Mr. and Mrs.  
John Diceman, Brampton, visited  
Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Diceman  
Sunday.

Mr. Douglas Thompson and  
Mrs. Archie Sedore were ap-  
pointed representatives for this  
district at the agricultural meet-  
ing at Sharon on Wednesday  
evening.

Mr. and Mrs. David English

audience and also helping to  
swell the firemen's fund.  
A box social, program and  
dance will be held in the town  
hall, Mount Albert, on Friday,  
May 5, at 8.15. This is being  
sponsored by L.O.L. 902. Pro-  
ceeds for the fire hall fund.  
Mr. Gordon Cuyler, a former  
Mount Albert boy now of Palm-  
erston, paid a short visit in town  
last week.

Christmas boxes and cards  
were sent to the sick and shut-  
ins all through the year. Many  
fine programs were given at its  
monthly meetings and are a real  
education. The community par-  
ties each month have been  
thoroughly enjoyed. All ladies  
are asked to join this grand com-  
munity society.

Miss Effie Hayes, who has  
spent the winter at Port Perry,  
has returned to her home in  
town.

Brownhill Concert

The concert in the hall on Fri-  
day night drew a record crowd  
and the audience was not dis-  
appointed when the young peo-  
ple of Brownhill put on three  
short dramas "Wanted, A House-  
keeper," "The Mail Order Hat,"  
and "Sit Down to Supper." Mu-  
sic filled in between these and  
altogether it made a very amus-  
ing program. Much credit is  
due to the young people and their  
leaders for the very fine  
evening they gave Mount Albert

visited Mr. and Mrs. George  
Green, Richmond Hill, on Sun-  
day.

Miss Louise Hamilton was  
guest of Miss Cairine Sedore on  
Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Cowieson returned  
home on Sunday after a two  
weeks stay in Toronto. While  
there she had an attack of  
pneumonia. We are pleased to  
report her much improved.

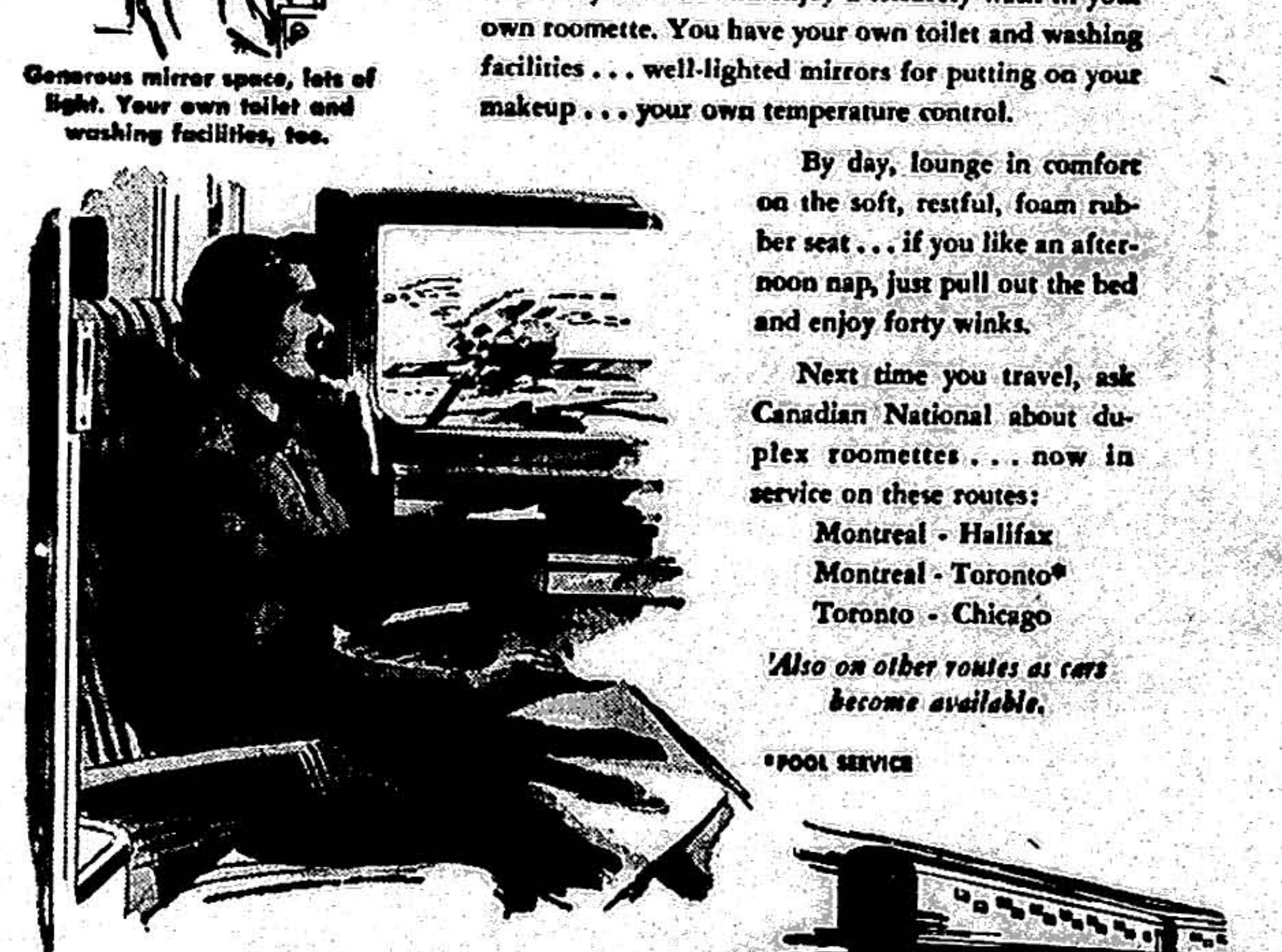


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## Pages from the Editor's Notebook

The day's mail brought us a copy of the 50th anniversary issue of the Western Star newspaper, published at Corner Brook, Newfoundland. The special edition was a smartly printed job with a two-color front page and the inside pages jammed with good reading.

Accompanying the special edition was a letter from Ken Pritchard, managing editor, and from the tone of his writing, a somewhat angry managing editor. "We would not want to hurt sensitive Canadian editorial feelings," he writes, "but we cannot refrain from registering our pained opinion that our Newfoundland readers know far, far more about the first nine Canadian provinces than your readers know about this one new addition... We are, comparatively, an older land. But Canadian lack of knowledge of Newfoundland actually is appalling."

Well, Editor Pritchard may have a point there. A lot of news appearing in the papers of the other nine provinces have been concerned more with Newfoundland's economic difficulties than its economic achievements. The election campaign encouraged this concern, of course, with candidates bidding for votes with great promises of baby bonuses, old age security pensions, health grants, and etc.

But let's see what we can do about it. Mr. Pritchard tells us that Newfoundland's economy is not entirely based on the codfish. Pulp and paper exports exceed the value of the fishing industry exports. Pulp and paper production jumped from \$13 million to \$32 million

between 1932 and 1943, with wages rising from \$6 million to \$26 million.

"We are disturbed," he writes, "at the thought that other Canadians are beginning to look upon Newfoundland as rather a poor relation. When our tremendous resources are more thoroughly developed, we shall be among the richest provinces in Canada."

Well, there you are, Ken. Now our readers know more about Newfoundland.

We believe Editor Pritchard's complaint, while justified, has a deeper cause than he perhaps realizes. Canadians may be somewhat ignorant about their new tenth province but then, Ontario is ignorant about Quebec, and Manitoba knows nothing of Nova Scotia. Ignorance about Newfoundland naturally arouses the Newfoundlanders, but when Newfoundland has had some experience as a tenth province, its people will realize such ignorance is common enough to be accepted and there is nothing personal in it.

Canada is a big country and a sprawling country and it was only last year or so it was possible to drive across its breadth in a car without a side trip to the United States. Geography divides us, custom and speech divide us, economics divide us. It is a little difficult sometimes to remember we are, after all, one nation.

Maybe Mr. Pritchard's cry from the east, coming with fresh determination, will arouse a stronger national consciousness and knowledge and pride of our country.

## From the Files of 25 and 50 Years Ago

APRIL 24, 1925

After a week of beautiful spring weather a cold spell set in on Saturday followed by a snow storm in the night. Five or six inches of snow covered the ground on Sunday morning.

A social evening was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Arnold last Saturday night, the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. Twelve were present for supper. Mr. and Mrs. Arnold were married in Orillia and have been residents here for ten years.

Mrs. M. J. Lent, who has been spending the winter with her daughter, Mrs. G. W. Rogers, Park Ave., left on Wednesday for her home in Vancouver.

The monthly meeting of the Methodist Mission Circle was held on Wednesday evening. Miss Helen Bogart gave a reading and Mrs. Thompson read a letter from a missionary in China. Officers elected were: pres., Miss W. J. Widdifield; vice-pres., Miss Olive Niles; cor. sec., Miss Jessie Davey; rec. sec., Miss Beryl Bogart; treas., Miss Clara Trivett; pianist, Miss Mary Lloyd.

Queensville residents met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Hillaby on Friday night and presented them with a purse of money. Mr. and Mrs. Hillaby are leaving soon to make their home in Newmarket.

The pencil department at Cane's factory installed some new machinery last week to make the pencils that holds the rubber on the pencils.

The eucure held Monday evening under the auspices of St. John's church choir was a success. Prizewinners were: Miss M. O. Doyle, Miss Gladys Flanagan, Mr. G. Young and Mr. S. O'Connor. The lucky number consolation game was won by Miss M. Moore and Mr. J. O. Little.

APRIL 27, 1900

Fair crowd at the market last Saturday. Butter sold from 12 to 13 cents, eggs, 10 to 11 cents and potatoes 35 to 40 cents. Chickens brought 50 to 60 cents, apples 25 cents a basket. Maple syrup was \$1.25 imperial gallon and \$1 wine measure.

Mr. Levi Rogers has started to rebuild his residence on Yonge St. that was destroyed by fire a short time ago. The brick work was completed on Wednesday.

Mrs. Hagerman, Sutton, left on Saturday for Zephyr where she intends remaining for a few weeks before leaving for Manitoba.

An enthusiastic meeting of the Talagoo Lacrosse club of Newmarket was held at the Pipher House on Monday evening. Officers elected were: pres., C. H. Lloyd; vice-pres., C. R. Montgomery and R. Manning; sec.-treas., G. R. Simpson; manager, J. A. W. Allan; captain, T. F. Doyle.

Mrs. Robert Millard won a gold watch in a word contest conducted by a Toronto magazine.

With the addition of so much new machinery in the new building at Cane's factory it is found that the present engine is too small to carry the load. A larger engine has been ordered and will be installed in a few days.

George Pringle, formerly a clerk in Chas. Pringle's store, Baldwin, is leaving for British Columbia.

The Newmarket band is playing at the Richmond Hill spring show on May 24 and also expects to give a concert in town on May 11. The boys have decided to purchase new caps.

The cannon placed on "Strathallan" lawn gives Capt. Allan's grounds quite a military appearance.

## A Page of Opinions



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## The Editorials:

### Bus fares discriminate

Gray Coach fares to Newmarket from Holland Landing are now 25 cents single and 45 cents return. This is a reduction from the 30 cents single and 45 cents return which was charged two weeks ago. The current fare, however, represents a substantial increase over 20 cents single and 35 cents return which was originally charged.

These bus fares are of immediate interest to Newmarket businessmen. Holland Landing represents a considerable amount of business for Newmarket. The new bus fares are discouraging that business, particularly when Holland Landing shoppers can ride to Aurora, almost double the distance, for the same price that they can now ride to Newmarket, or go to Bradford for 15 cents single and 30 cents return.

There would be, of course, no grounds for objection to Gray Coach fares if a competing line were also permitted on the Holland Landing-Newmarket route. However, the government has granted the Gray Coach Lines exclusive franchise on this route and there is no possibility of a lower-priced transportation except by train.

It is quite understandable that operating costs of the Gray Coach should require the increased fare on this route. The question is, however, if such a circumstance should be permitted to discriminate against the logical shopping centre of Holland Landing citizens. If Gray Coach finds the Holland Landing route uneconomical, should it be permitted to keep the franchise if another bus line is prepared to operate it at cheaper fares?

Holland Landing people are understandably annoyed by the fare increases. Newmarket businessmen would find it very much in their interest to join their Landing customers in protest.

### Must work together

Last week's issue of The Era and Express carried the encouraging report that the health unit for the northern municipalities would be functioning by July. Ten of the 14 municipalities within the proposed unit's range have agreed on the proposal and there is every reason to believe that the reluctant four will join the unit later.

The health unit represents a centralization of public health administration to provide uniform health services to unit members. Newmarket has now an exemplary public health service with public health nurse and numerous other advantages not shared by other unit members. Newmarket will not greatly profit from membership in the unit, but by joining, will help less fortunate municipalities receive health services they are now without.

The procedure for the establishment of a health unit is comparatively simple but even so, it has been two years or so since Reeve Arthur Evans began his active campaign to bring it about. The two years seems much too long yet it is about par with the time required to establish the high school area, and it does hold out hope that all is not lost in the establishment of a conservation authority for Holland River watershed. The proposal for this latter project is not yet 18 months old.

Even though there are individuals who actually support group projects like the health unit, the high school area and the conservation authority, apathy towards such projects in many municipalities continues to delay their swift accomplishment. Some members of municipal councils seem incapable of thinking beyond the borders of their own municipalities. Too frequently, they attach a cynical motive to proposals for group action. Too frequently too, members of balking councils are simply exercising their constitutional rights to be contrary.

To act thusly benefits neither themselves nor their municipalities. The demands for increased municipal services can often be met only by group action. To delay such action is to deprive participating municipalities of benefits they should and could have.

Municipalities are being forced to act together in self defence as well. Representatives of the northern municipalities met in Newmarket on Tuesday to discuss how Toronto's proposal for amalgamation of its suburbs will affect them if it is allowed. Here is an immediate problem which overshadows anything which the north-end municipalities have had to consider before. Already they have been shown by a special auditor's report that if Toronto has its way, their county taxes will be doubled. Taxes for any special project will be correspondingly increased.

The health unit, high school area and conservation authority were all challenges to the willingness

of municipalities to work together to their individual benefit. Now they are faced with a choice of working together or being made the goats of Toronto's ambition. A swift acting, harmonious association is a vital necessity.

### Dairies 'threatened'

Maintaining milk sales is a major problem of the milk producer. At the recent National Dairy Council meeting, Prof. G. L. Burton, professor of agricultural economics at Ste. Anne de Bellevue, Quebec, stated that there were three ways of boosting milk sales:

To offer the customer a price cut for buying more than one bottle of milk at a time; to reduce the cost of hauling milk from farm to distributor; to distribute more milk to the stores and less to the homes, thus saving on delivery charges.

Mr. M. G. Simpson, Toronto, managing director of Canada Dairies Ltd., was reported to have replied with: "bottled milk distributors are working on the narrowest of profit margins and they just could not reduce costs without threatening their own existence. In large cities," Mr. Simpson is reported to have said, "dairy operators are working on a profit margin of one fifth of a cent a quart."

Comments the Midland Free Press Herald: "Either the Canadian Press reporter or Mr. Simpson need a lesson in elementary economics. If dairies can't 'reduce costs without threatening their own existence,' it would be best for them to go out of existence very speedily. We had always understood that reducing costs increased profits, not reduced them."

"Perhaps this is what is wrong with the distribution end of the milk business."

"Prof. Burton's ideas are completely practicable for many dairies in the larger centres and the sooner those dairies recognize the fact that a constantly widening market for milk is the best cure for increasing costs on the farm, the sooner will they be performing their proper economic function."

### Competing with city

Richmond Hill businessmen are showing commendable initiative in the organization of a "Trade Fair" to be held in the arena on June 16 and 17. Purpose of the fair is to "provide a visual demonstration of the ability of Richmond Hill businesses to provide for the shopping needs of citizens of Richmond Hill and district," according to the Businessmen's Association president, Mr. Archie Murray.

Plans for the fair would seem to arise from an awareness of Richmond Hill businessmen that such projects are increasingly required to help them sell their goods and services. Too frequently in other centres, Newmarket included, there is the attitude that "people will always buy from us because they always have". It is an attitude which is denied by the facts of business competition. Consider how large the mail order services of the big city stores have become. Here is the answer to those who still live in the past of limited communication and uncertain transportation.

The businessmen of the municipalities outside the cities are in immediate competition with city stores, whether they know it or not. They could greatly better their position in that competition if they were to make a more strenuous effort to advertise their goods and services through such mediums as "Trade Fairs". The experiences of the two Newmarket merchants who set up booths at the Queensville Sports Day last year shows how that effort can be turned into profits. Both merchants derived a good deal of business from those who visited their booths, business which in several instances might have gone to the city.

### Preserving old papers

At the risk of repetition, we insert into these columns another plea to preserve old family documents if they have the remotest association with district history. Frequently, papers of great historical interest are lost or destroyed through ignorance of their value. If you have papers which you suspect to be of value, but find are a nuisance, leave them at The Era and Express office for keeping.

Our plea is particularly directed to those whose family history is connected with the history of Sharon. At present, a history of this village is being written and will be published in The Era and Express. It will help the progress of the history if anyone who can contribute old papers or documents, personal letters, anecdotes, and other historical matter, could contact our office.

To a good many, such concern with things past is of little value. It is an attitude which is very prevalent these days when our future is overshadowed by threats of atomic bomb warfare and other dreadful

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## Office Cat reports

## Catnips By Ginger

Public attention has again been focused on the parking meters on Main St. From certain sources have come expressions of vehemence and outcries of indignation. Workers unite! Call out the Marines! Six no trump! Double! Down with the parking meters! Such are the outcries one hears these days.

And why has this parking meter protest arisen?

It is man's rebellion against the machine!

You and I can argue ourselves black in the face that the parking meter is an honest, efficient mechanism when functioning properly. And that is the whole crux of the problem. As soon as man's conception of his own independence and individual superiority is questioned by another possible superiority, he rebels. In so many words, man rebels against a mechanical gadget which attempts to push him around.

The fear that man might be ruled by thinking machines is not a new one. Already he has invented mechanical brains which can compute and do a better job at figuring out mathematical problems than he can himself. Is it possible that a machine of man's own design in the form of a perfect, thinking brain could ever rule him?

Some of our greatest minds have suggested that possibility.

This could be the next threat to civilization after the atomic bomb!

So you see, the parking meter question is not such a small problem. It has a greater significance than you might have thought. It cannot be treated lightly. It requires an honest, sound, philosophical approach.

That is what has brought me to conduct an intelligent investigation and an analysis of the problem. "What's behind the parking meter today," or "The case of the meter, for and against," by Ginger, chief Era and Express investigator into

problems too difficult for lesser beings to assess. So much for the preamble.

Observation: an inebriated person was walking down Main St. He bumped his shoulder against a parking meter. "Par-don me," he said and continued down the street.

On butting his shoulder into the second meter, he whined, "Say bud, why done ya watch where yer going?"

Walking headlong into meter number three he lost his temper and commenced flailing his arms.

"I'll push yer face in," he said and wound up with a left hooker which showered broken glass in all directions. The debauched one was quickly collared by a minion of justice and juggled for the night.

Conclusion: parking meters are an asset to the law and therefore are a good thing.

Observation: the Lions minstrels made an official open faced comment which linked the meter with members of the canine world in such a manner as to leave one definite suggestion in mind.

Conclusion: since the minstrels are not to be unfounded by anyone brave enough to openly examine the scandal, it must be acknowledged that the meters represent a bad thing.

There are the findings of my research. If there are any final conclusions to be made, let us fervently hope that the same sound reasoning as the above is employed by those entrusted to the final decision.

One recalls the traveller in the old land who came upon the stone in the desert on which these words appeared, "My name is Orzmandias, king of kings. Look at my works, ye mighty, and despair." Nothing beside remains. Boundless and bare, the lonely sands stretch far and wide.

Will the machine finish off this civilization too?

## by "Back Concession"

## The Top Six Inches

There have been many suggestions of ways and means how the farmer can increase production and not have to ask for support from public funds. And there has been some good advice.

First problem is how to get these suggestions and advice to the farmer and get him to believe it. Now our gold mines have to have a subsidy. It would be very hard for the farmer to believe that gold is more important than food. The public seems to take the government support for gold mines with no complaint. And yet gold exchange or coin is a thing the public never sees, let alone handles or owns. One farmer suggested that we use for a monetary standard some metal that is not so hard to mine. Then we would not have to pay a subsidy to gold mines.

The farmer very nearly had a chance to buy cheap white shirts but now we will have to wear the everyday shirt for Sunday.

Our farm forums are over now and many good subjects were discussed. Many school sections never had a farm forum while others would start off with 10 or 12 attending and ended up with one or two. Out of a school section of some 200 or adults, we could only count on one or two to have interest enough to follow this adult education. It would seem the farmer is getting what he asked for.

We farmers are paying high prices for our barley to feed our stock to produce food. We have to compete with the liquor interests. Not only malt barley but our feed barley is bought by liquor interests. This is what we ask for by not attending farm forums and supporting our federation of agriculture better. We not only get our ears pinned back but we have to like it.

One farmer at a farm meeting said at the rate of support we are getting we farmers will be 300 years getting what we want. The day of grifts work in farm organizations is done. If we want our farm organization to go, we must hire men to work. If a man is paid he can and does take a duster; not so with someone that is not paid. They just quit.

We have lost many good workers from our farm movement because of someone who did not have the brains, ability or the desire to work, but had too much to say about those that were working. Before we can hope to go very much further in farm organization, we will have to have more paid workers.

We need a federation field man in York county to get each township organized into federation units with one representative from each township to act on the county executive. The field man should be paid as a full time worker, the township men part time or out of pocket expenses. One federation meeting should be held in each township every month and have a membership fee of not less than \$5 per year for each farm family. Send our township representative to collect the membership fee and explain the whole federation set-up. We fall down by our farm people not knowing what is being attempted.

The Ontario federation had less than the admission to one picture show from each farm family for expenses last year. We can only expect what we pay for. Our officers need more money to carry on the work of the federation. When we get a paid executive in each county we can then demand more action. We cannot expect people to give volunteer service while others stand back and get equal benefits. Cheerio.

THE OLD HOME TOWN By STANLEY



BETTER LET HIM, FOR THERE ARE THOSE WHO WILL



The state is the servant, not the master, of the people; the state is their guarantee against infringement on their rights, their agent in international and national issues; it is not the function of the state to assume the direction of those activities which rest on individual choice.



potentialities. Atomic bombs or what have you, nothing can dim the truth of this quotation from Rt. Hon. Joseph Howe of Nova Scotia: "A wise nation preserves its records, gathers up its muniments, decorates the tombs of its illustrious dead, repairs its great public structures, and fosters national pride and love of country by perpetual reference to the sacrifices and glories of the past."

## Reducing farm costs

Mr. J. H. Wesson, president of the Saskatchewan Wheat Pool, told a royal commission on transportation recently that a railway strike would be preferable to a continued giving way to demands by rail unions for higher pay and shorter hours. The farmer is forced to cut costs, he said, so that he can compete on world markets. In the meantime, the railwaymen are demanding higher wages which in turn, increase the burden of farm costs by increased freight rates.

If more farm spokesmen addressed themselves to the question of reduced costs, there would be a greater opportunity for success in achieving the farmers' ancient goals of fair return and stable marketing. The present trend is to acknowledge increased costs with increased sale prices and in the case of the farmer, the result has been that he has priced himself right off the world markets.

Mr. Wesson's forthrightedness could be applied to the implement industry, to the commission men, to the packers, the freighters—indeed every aspect of the farm economy which contributes to farm costs. And it can be made to stick if the farmers will organize. Let us get away from this business of thinking that increases in cost can be met by increases in revenue indefinitely—with the government contributing subsidies when the consumers' dollars run out. It's time the trend was reversed with costs reduced and sales prices correspondingly reduced.

The farmer cannot sell at world prices unless his costs are down. He can reduce his costs by his own efforts only up to the point that he is dependent upon the railways, the implement makers, the feed sellers, and the other agencies over which he has no control. Then, it is up to them to start reducing their costs—and the farmers can hasten the process if they speak with the weight of a highly organized industry.

## Price of amalgamation

"We are aware that Newmarket, as part of York County, has a definite interest in the effects of amalgamation," says the Globe and Mail in an editorial on Tuesday in which it takes issue with The Era and Express (see adjoining column).

We wonder how general is the awareness of that "definite interest". Newmarket, Aurora and all the others left outside face at the minimum a doubled county levy if Toronto's amalgamation proposal is allowed. This estimate, made in a special county auditor's statement, covers only those expenditures which are required by legislation. County levies would be still higher if special projects such as reforestation were undertaken.

Toronto is being forced into amalgamation by its inability to pay its way. North York county and the unamalgamated areas to the south will have to pay the price of Toronto's financial embarrassment if amalgamation is allowed.

Unification, the establishment of inter-municipal standards of services—yes. But amalgamation, no.

## Letters to the Editor

The editor: The blast let loose this morning by the Globe and Mail (Tuesday, April 25), has stimulated me to write you a long overdue letter of appreciation for the forthright manner in which you have always expressed the editorial opinion regarding municipal, provincial and Dominion affairs. You certainly supply a refreshing contrast to one of your weekly contemporaries, in which the editor inquires: "Why should we stick our necks out in supporting everyone's grievance?"

As for me, my ideal for a newspaper is that it should be a molder of public opinion, not a mere shopping guide with a trimming of petty news items. Accordingly, I am happy to see you all out against amalgamation.

I hope that you have united and unqualified support here unless the local taxpayers are anxious for a chance to pay Toronto's taxes. As if we were not paying enough indirect taxes for the big city through the business in goods and services siphoned off from our local professional people and tradesmen.

We are having the heat put on us to accept a plan intended primarily to lighten Toronto's tax load, for that is all it amounts to, in spite of the Globe and Mail's specious arguments. As it is, we are going to pay plenty of taxes here, for our own local needs, in the very near future. For just one thing, the deplorable condition of the streets speaks for itself.

I would say, co-ordination, yes; integration, no. If it can be shown that amalgamation will produce proportional and compensatory advantages for all areas concerned, that is one thing; but the only sure thing is that we will have an increased tax burden. On the other hand, if it is the ambition of Newmarket people to be "hewers of wood and drawers of water" for Toronto, in other words to become the tail of the Toronto comet, I would say "support amalgamation".

Subscriber, Newmarket.

The editor: Please permit me to express my hearty approval of your journal's views on the recent report of the special committee on conservation; because I agree with the view that "Every citizen in Ontario has a stake in the application of proper conservation practices."

A feature in your editorial which made a home-run with me was this point: "Applicable to all conservation practices is the report's insistence that conservation be taught in the schools and publicized to every citizen."

This is decidedly in alignment with the warning of one of the philosophers: "What you would have appear in the life of the nation, you must put into its schools."

Finally, as my contribution along the advice of the above report that conservation principles "be publicized to every citizen," I append a thought-provoking paragraph from an address by one of the farm leaders on the prairies on this same constructive theme:

"With practical conservation in the west, we will produce tremendous and various abundance from farms, forests, furs, mines, power and wildlife. We will have millions of beaver again, building countless ponds, to stabilize waters and produce more musquash, fish, big game and forests. Wildlife will multiply when we guarantee food, water, cover, protection in infancy, safety from fire — and a fair break at harvest time. Wildlife almost explodes into reproduction, when we co-operate, wisely. Management of our vast wildlife ranges may add to our income a total equal of our big wheat crops" . . . E.S.R.

Junior Ranger, Toronto, Ont.

ENTERTAINED ON BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Wesley Brooks entertained on Tuesday in honor of her aunt, Mrs. Rachel Stephens. Many friends called to extend greetings to Mrs. Stephens on her 90th birthday.

## GLOBE AND MAIL VIEW

# Toronto paper says Era amalgamation Editorial misleading

The Globe and Mail's breathless insistence that Toronto's amalgamation proposal arose only from a wish to end the "overlapping and confusion caused by 13 separate jurisdictions in one geographical area" is not worth the paper it is printed on.

## TEXT OF GLOBE-MAIL EDITORIAL

### STRENGTH IN UNION

The Newmarket Era and Express, a venerable weekly going into about 3,300 homes in the northern part of York County, has told its readers that Toronto is seeking amalgamation because it cannot pay its way on its present assessment. This ludicrous idea has been advanced by some of the representatives of the suburbs, but more sense might have been expected from The Era and Express. We are aware that Newmarket, as part of York County, has a definite interest in the effects of amalgamation, especially as so much of the present county revenue comes from the suburban municipalities.

But no eventuality can excuse a deliberate misleading of opinion on this complex and important problem. Even if it were true that Toronto "is being driven to amalgamation by its desperate need for more tax revenues," the absurdity of seeking relief by taking over the suburban municipalities ought to be apparent. North York faces gigantic expenditures for services without industrial assessment of any consequence to assist it. Scarborough and York townships are both trying every possible expedient to put off the day when they will have to strike the hard reality of the situation may be dodged again. They are making a fine-tooth search of their budgets, to see if they may, by chance, find something which can be left to another council and another year. Wealthy Leaside, despite rising assessment, has had to increase its tax revenues almost 100 percent in the last four years, and the end is not yet. Almost all the other suburban municipalities are under similar pressure, and are without the resources to cope with it.

If there should be any recession of economic activity, which would make it difficult for the suburban municipalities to collect their taxes, their independence from Toronto would be nothing to cherish. They would be back in the hands of the government administrators. York County would be no help to them, nor they to it. The plain truth is that the time has come to clear away the overlapping and confusion caused by 13 separate jurisdictions in one geographical area. It is absurd that there should be 113 separate boards, committees and commissions concerned with local government in Greater Toronto, when ten or 12 would do. (These were the actual figures given last week by Prof. H. M. Cassidy, and wrongly reported in news stories as 1,012 bodies to be reduced to 113.) It is neither fair nor sensible that some residents of this area should be so much better off than others, in terms of school standards and civic services. These inequities can only be corrected by making the tax revenue of the whole area available to the whole area. This cannot be done under the present arrangement. That is the entire motive behind the amalgamation movement. Independence has produced a hodge-podge development. Integration will make planning of future development and the removal of existing errors possible. The Era and Express should tell its readers these facts. It makes itself ridiculous by suggesting Toronto is financially weak.

### KETTLEBY

Mrs. W. Gilham is home from hospital and is slowly recovering from her recent operation.

Birthday greetings to three of our members, Kenneth Marchant, who will be 12 years old on April 28, Mrs. R. Hunter whose birthday is April 29, and to Mrs. A. Hilliard whose birthday is April 30. Many happy returns to you all.

Mr. P. W. Ball spent several days recently in Ottawa. Don't forget "Daylight Saving" starts next Sunday, April 30, so put your clocks forward.

Services next Sunday, April 30, at Christ church, will be Sunday-school, 2 p.m.; evening service, 3 p.m. D.S.T. (Too late for last week) Mr. and Mrs. John Little and family spent Sunday in Toronto with Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Little. Mr. John E. Barradell, Strathclair, Man., attended the funeral of his mother last Saturday in Toronto and spent a few days here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry DeVries

The Globe and Mail might have answered our charge that "Toronto is being driven to amalgamation by its desperate need for more tax revenues" by simply stating the facts of Toronto's financial case. It did not because those facts bear out our contention.

The Toronto Evening Telegram of March 17, under a headline "Alternative is Bleak," notes that Toronto's population in relation to the population of the area is decreasing, while costs are increasing. In 1921, Toronto had 86.6 percent of the total population, in 1941, 73.5 percent, in 1948, 67.9 percent. Conversely, around Toronto, the percentage of population rose from 13.4 to 32.1 percent.

"Toronto with practically no land for expansion to increase its assessment finds increasing costs falling upon a static or dwindling population," says the Telegram. "Toronto would be justified in expecting to escape from a situation which inevitably leads to heavier taxes with no relief in sight."

### If Still in Doubt

Or if the Globe and Mail should still be in doubt, what of the report of the committee on Municipal-Provincial relations of the Toronto Civic Advisory Committee with reference to municipal - provincial finances: "Certainly," says the report, "with its limited resources, the city faces a dilemma in meeting many of its public expenditures. The importance of a sound realty base (half of total assessment) cannot be minimized and it is here that the committee finds a major threat to the city's tax structure. The view is advanced that the bulk of residential realty may be regarded as a declining asset. It would seem the decision must be made: either relieve the city of certain expenditures (by means of increased aid from Ottawa or Queen's Park) or explore possibilities of an expanded tax base. When other tax sources were examined, the conclusion was inescapable that if administrative difficulties could be overcome and sanction for imposition of new taxes obtained from the province, they would not, with Toronto within its present boundaries, prove effective."

Who Ignores Facts? The Globe and Mail, blithely ignoring these facts in its intent upon discrediting this "venerable" weekly, substitutes the claim that if Toronto indeed were sorely pressed, why would it want to take over suburban municipalities which are, according to the Globe and Mail, facing greatly increased costs.

It is a nice point but for the key fact which the Globe and Mail makes no mention of and which completely disproves its stand. That fact is: property taxes in Toronto are \$54 per capita. In the suburbs, the property taxes are \$28-\$34 per capita. The suburbs' tax increases are in relation to this latter figure. If Toronto amalgamates the suburbs, however, there is a potential tax increase of \$20 per capita before the suburban tax level reaches that of Toronto.

But if these facts are not enough, we suggest to the Globe and Mail editors a search of their own paper's files, with particular reference to the statements of Mayor McCallum at budget time when, faced with expenditures beyond the city's ability to pay for, he proposed a tax on suburbanites entering the city, followed by another proposal of a hotel room tax. Or even the increasing number of news stories referring to reductions in civic expenditures because of lack of money.

### Poor Cloak

The Globe and Mail tries to make the "overlapping and confusion of the 13 jurisdictions" an acceptable cloak for the less acceptable facts of Toronto's demand for amalgamation. Even in that it is balked by the city council. The confusion the Globe and Mail complains of could be relieved with no infringements upon suburban independence by a metropolitan county scheme in which inter - municipal commissions could be established to deal with this "overlapping."

Mayor McCallum says no to such a proposal and for the obvious reason that it will not provide tax revenue.

The Globe and Mail says "The Era and Express should tell its readers these facts" ("the entire motive behind the amalgamation movement").

Well, there they are.

moved on Monday to their new home on the third concession. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knappett and family of Richmond Hill were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Barradell.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clarkson and daughters, Barbara and Beatrice, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Webster.

## TO DISCUSS RIDGES SCHOOL BOUNDARIES

Grades 1 and 2, Oak Ridges public school, are now happily established on a full-day basis, according to the trustees of Union S.S. 1, King, and Whitchurch townships. By dividing one room in the new building into two class rooms and by re-establishing the basement of the main building staggered classes for grades 1 and 2 have been discontinued since Easter holidays.

Two teachers have been added to the original staff of six, which had temporarily been augmented by one extra after last September. While the present change does not permanently solve the problem of accommodation for the present enrolment of 275, it is said to relieve congestion of the junior rooms, of approximately 60 pupils each. "We are happy now," related one mother. "My young lad goes to school all day now."

Changes in the boundaries of the school section will come up for consideration by an arbitration board, composed of Judge Shea, York county, clerks H. G. Rose, King township, and John Crawford of Whitchurch township, and public school inspectors Charles Howitt, Islington, and O. M. McKillop, Richmond Hill.

The growing population of the district has led to considerable discussion regarding a change in the school section boundaries and created three factions of opinions, clerk Crawford pointed out. One group desired a dissolution of Union S.S. 1; a second to set up a school at Lake Wilcox; and the third to form the whole eastern section into a new and larger school section. In all three instances, the school building which is located on the King township side of Yonge St. would remain. Judge Shea will take up these matters with others of the board in about a couple of weeks, Mr. Crawford stated.

### KESWICK

Miss Ruth Mahoney, Queensville (now of Toronto), was the weekend guest of her cousin, Miss B. Terry.

The bay is free of ice which disappeared this year quickly and without damage.

Mrs. M. Valentine, Toronto, is spending the week as a guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stickland.

The hydro has rented the memorial centre lower floor for equipment storage during this summer's 60 cycle change-over in this district.

The Sax Fish and Chip Shop has been reopened for the summer months.

Work is underway for a new store beside the post office property of Mr. Davey's, Sutton.

The Snelling store also is being converted into a self-service store, the fourth in Keswick to make this change.

Mr. and Mrs. Agar spent the weekend with relatives in Orillia.

### MOUNT ALBERT

The Cheerio Group will meet in the Sunday-school room on Saturday evening, April 29, at 8.15 sharp.

Seventeen members of the C.G.I.T. girls with their leader, Mrs. Bruce Rolling, went to Unionville on Saturday where they attended a conference in which they took part in discussion groups and saw a film on missions. Mount Albert took the closing worship service. They also gained much by hearing what other groups had done and their invitation to the conference to come to Mount Albert next year was accepted.

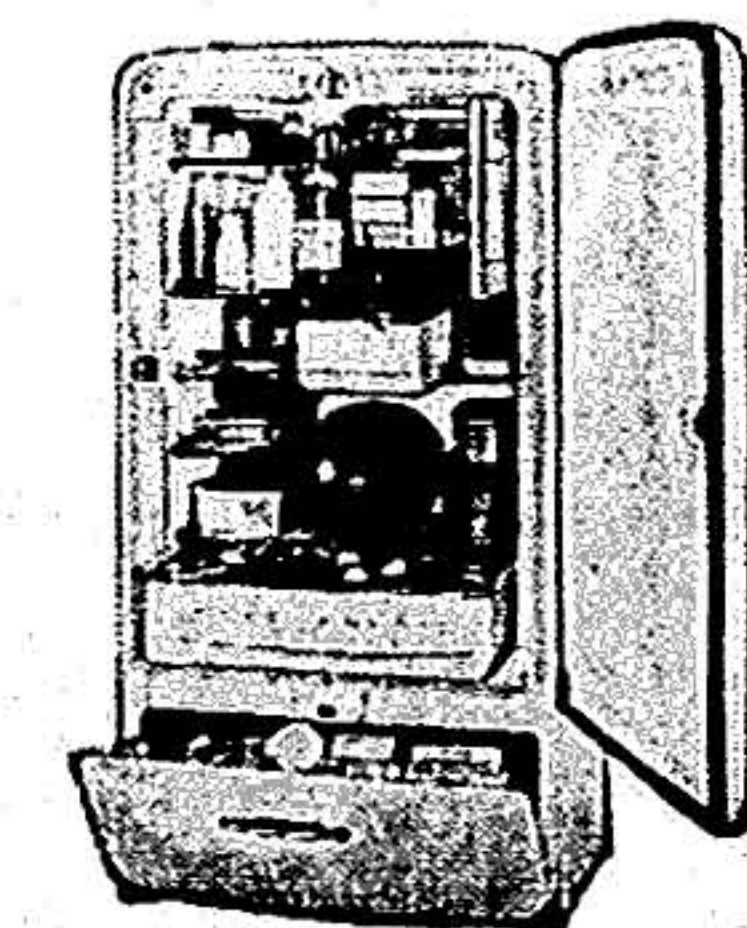
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Cain, Sutton, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. John Cain.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Jarvis, Stouffville, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Carr.

Miss Mildred Dike, Toronto, spent the weekend at her home here.

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## VANDORF

Wesley Young People held special services in the church Sunday evening, April 23, when the young people of Pine Orchard Union church presented the play, "The Rich Young Ruler". Special music was given by Mr. Roland Moddle and Mrs. E. C. Moddle. Chorus singing was led by Mr. and Mrs. Grant Morley. Rev. E. C. Moddle and Mr. Basil Baber were in charge.

Mr. H. A. Switzer and Mr. Clifford King motored to Minden for the weekend.

We are pleased to report Mrs. Steven Komar is much better and able to be back at school again.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cooke and Donna, Toronto, Mr. Edward Richardson and Miss June Harbison spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. Richardson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Carr and daughter, Peggy, Keswick, visited on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Graham.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Loucks and daughter, Sandra, visited on Sunday Mr. Louck's brother of Minden.

Mr. and Mrs. Garnet Patten are leaving on Thursday to spend the summer months in the North Bay district.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Aylett, Mr. Albert Joel, all of Toronto, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Aylett.

Miss June Meyers, Mr. Arthur Ross and Mrs. Henry Griffith, Thistletown, had Sunday tea with Mr. and Mrs. William Kingdon and Bill.

## ZEPHYR

Miss Jean Profit underwent an appendix operation last Friday at York County hospital. We hope Jean will soon be better and able to return to school again.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Profit spent Monday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. Hume, Toronto, spent the weekend at their summer home here.

## PRESENTS PAPER

Doctors from Bradford, Richmond Hill, Sutton, Mount Albert, Aurora and Newmarket heard Dr. W. C. Arkinstall, Newmarket, present a paper on Raynaud's disease at the regular meeting last week of York County Hospital Medical Association.

## Farm Federation News

A township Federation of Agriculture was organized in East Gwillimbury on Wednesday night last week. Chairman of the provincial group of directors is Robert Knight, Queensville, vice chairman is Max Newroth, Sharon, and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Wilmet.

At the organizational meeting, guest speakers were Mrs. L. Pound, Ancaster, and R. Morrison, past president of the provincial federation.

Two directors from each school section make a total of 33 officers. On Monday night this week a meeting was held to draw up a constitution and by-laws, form committees and to study the objectives of the township federation. The county of York has its own federation and townships form their own organizations.

A general meeting is planned at some date in May when it is expected that an election of officers.

At Vandorf school house on Thursday evening, April 20, a meeting of the Whitchurch unit of the Federation of Agriculture was held.

There were nine school sections represented. Mr. W. Buchanan, field man for York county, explained the work of the federation. A proposed constitution was discussed. A provisional board of directors, one representative from each school section, was proposed.

The proposed constitution and the provisional board of directors will be brought before the farm people of Whitchurch for ratification at a public meeting to be called later. After the business session an interesting and instructive discussion took place on school areas.

## MOVE TO BEAMSVILLE

Mrs. Wm. Hill and son, Wayne, daughter and grandson of Mr. W. W. Wrightman, left for Beamsville on Saturday to join Mr. Hill who is manager of the Stedman store.

Tulips grow best when planted as close to cold weather as possible.

## Oak Ridges Lions Charter Night May 3

The need of a community service club for Oak Ridges has been realized in the official formation of a Lions club, organized under the auspices of Richmond Hill Lions, recently, International Counsellor and District Treasurer, Gordon Belyea, Toronto, was guest speaker at the organization meeting here, and outlined the principle of Lionism, the duties and responsibilities of the individual Lion.

The charter officers of the new club are: pres., Charles R. Stephenson; 1st vice-pres., Jack Blythe; 2nd vice-pres., E. C. Hawman; 3rd vice-pres., Hans J. K. Stymro; sec., Gordon L. Rowe; treas., John Turritt; Lion tamer, William Mirtles; tail twister, Grant McCachen; directors, Robert Woolley, Jr., J. N. Emerson, Kenneth Farquharson and Stanley Rule.

About 35 members have enrolled. Charter night will be held at Aurora on Wednesday, May 3, when members of clubs of zone 18 of which the new club is a member, will be present.

A 32-prize draw is underway for that event, proceeds to go to Oak Ridges Lions treasury. In the minds of the club is the establishment of a supervised community. A committee of Jack Blythe and Robert Woolley, Jr., has interviewed Whitchurch township council in the matter of negotiating a piece of property, suitable to playground activities, secretary Gordon Rowe stated. Only preliminary investigation has yet been made.

## Ridges Troops, Packs To Parade Sunday

Oak Ridges Girl Guides, Boy Scout Troop, Brownies and Cub Pack will parade with others of York Central division at Aurora on Sunday, April 30. Guides enrolment ceremony for Myrna Brown, June Barnsdale, Eleanor Bryce, and Brenda Colombo was conducted by Joan Appleton, lieutenant of the company, on Tuesday evening at the school. In the afternoon Brown Owl Mrs. Donald Gunn officiated for the enrolment of Rosaleen Sanders, admitted into full membership of the Owls.

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For rent—Lake Muskoka, 4-roomed cottage, cabins, room and board. Apply Mrs. P. Tidman, West Gravenhurst. c3w16

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**For sale—"999 Words Easily Misspell"**  
booklets, 3x5, 10c. On sale at Best's Drug Store, Hutchins, Jarvis, Myer's Magazine Shop, Hillcrest Filling Station, Yonge St. N., Bolender's Store, Holland Landing. But it now. c3w17

**WOOD FOR SALE**  
For sale—Hardwood, \$5 a cord, delivered. S. Sheridan, phone Newmarket 858. t114

**For sale—Hardwood, softwood slabs**  
and milled limbs. Steyer lengths. Apply R. Lewis, phone 202w4, Newmarket. c3w17

**SALE REGISTER**  
Saturday, Apr. 29—Auction sale of farm, stock, implements, hay and grain, etc., the property of Martin Woodward, north half lot 28, con. 5, East Gwillimbury. Sale at 1 p.m. Terms cash. P. Mahoney, clerk. F. N. Smith, auctioneer, phone 187j, Newmarket. c3w15

**TOWN OF NEWMARKET**  
**NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS**  
Residents of the town of Newmarket are notified that the provisions of the by-law relating to dogs will be strictly enforced. The by-law provides in part, that any dog running at large, contrary to the provisions of this by-law, may be seized and impounded or killed or sold or otherwise disposed of by any police constable, poundkeeper or by such other persons as may be duly authorized so to do. Except where any dog is on the premises of the owner or keeper thereof, any dog which is not on a leash and under the immediate charge and control of a competent person, shall for the purposes of this by-law be deemed to be running at large. The foregoing provisions apply whether or not the dog is licensed, and will be strictly enforced. Dogs which have been impounded and not redeemed within 48 hours will be destroyed. This by-law will be in force from May 1 to September 30 inclusive. Dated at Newmarket this 27th day of April, 1950. Byron Burbridge, Chief of Police. c2w17

**TOWN OF NEWMARKET**  
**NOTICE TO DOG OWNERS**  
All dog owners or people harboring stray dogs are required to obtain a license on or before the first day of June. Any owner of unlicensed dogs after that date may be summonsed. Tags may be obtained from Mr. G. W. Curtis, 17 Niagara St., or from the town clerk's office. Byron Burbridge, Chief of Police. c2w17

**TENDERS FOR HEATING**  
The Building Committee of Trinity United Church ask for tenders for heating for hot air or water to be done in parsonage now under construction. Specifications and information may be obtained from Mr. Herbert Graham, 11 Grace St., phone 54j, Newmarket. Sealed tenders must be submitted to above before 12 o'clock noon, May 6, 1950. Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. c1w17

**NOTICE**  
Take Notice that at the meeting of the County Council of the County of York to be held in the Council Chambers at 67 Adelaide Street East, Toronto, Ontario, commencing on the 9th day of May, 1950, the County Council of the County of York intends to take into consideration a By-law extending the limits of the Police Village of Queensville, in the Township of East Gwillimbury, by adding to the area of the Police Village of Queensville the following lands that are limits of the Police Village of Queensville when so extended shall be described as follows: "Commencing on the westerly limit of Lot 19, Concession 3, at a point East of the south-west angle of Lot 19, a distance of 2 chains and 18 links, thence north parallel to the westerly boundary of Lot 19, a distance of 8 chains, thence east parallel to the south limit of Lot 19, a distance of 2 chains and 82 links, thence north parallel with the westerly limit of Lot 19, a distance of 23 chains, thence east parallel to the north limit of Lot 20, Concession 3, a distance of 20 chains, thence north parallel with the westerly limit of Lot 20, a distance of 10 chains, which is a point 4 chains north of the southerly limit of Lot 21, thence westerly parallel to the south limit of Lot 21, a distance of 20 chains, thence northerly parallel with the westerly limit of Lot 21, a distance of 18 chains, to a point which is 2 chains north of the southerly limit of Lot 22, Concession 3, thence westerly parallel with the south limit of Lot 21, a distance of 16 chains to a point 2 chains north of the southerly limit of Lot 21 in the second concession, thence south parallel to the easterly limit of Concession 2, a distance of 57 chains, to a point at the south limit of Frank Johnson's lane in Lot 19, Concession 3, thence east parallel with the north limit of Lot 19 to a point a distance of 5 chains, thence south parallel with the easterly limit of Lot 19, Concession 2, a distance of 12 chains which is 2 chains north of the northern boundary of Lot 18, thence east parallel with the north boundary of Lot 18, 4 chains and 27 links, to a point on the easterly limit of Lot 22 and on the east side of the roadway known as Concession 3, thence north along the easterly limit of Concession 2, three chains, thence east along the southerly limit of Lot 19, Concession 3, a distance of 3 chains and 18 links, to the place of beginning."

**SEED FOR SALE**  
For sale—300 bu. Foundation A Kataladin potatoes. Certificate No. 20586. Apply Bert Cadden, phone 2r5, King, R. R. 3. \*3w15

**For sale—Quantity of No. 1 buckwheat for seed**  
Also quantity of Kataladin potatoes for seed both No. 1 and 2 grades. These were grown from certified seed and are an excellent potato. Also quantity of Kataladin eating potatoes. Phone J. W. Langs, Mount Albert 469, or Elgin 8961, Toronto. c8w16

**For sale—Government graded No. 1 red clover seed**  
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## AT HOME

Mr. and Mrs. John W. Groves will be at home to their friends and neighbors on Saturday, April 29, in the afternoon, from 3 to 5 p.m. and evening, 7 to 9 p.m., on the occasion of their 40th wedding anniversary.

## TENDERS FOR PLUMBING

The Building Committee of Trinity United Church ask for tenders for plumbing to be done in parsonage now under construction. Specifications and information may be obtained from Mr. Herbert Graham, 11 Grace St., phone 541.

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## TENDERS FOR ELECTRICAL WIRING

The Building Committee of Trinity United Church ask for tenders for electrical work to be done in the parsonage now under construction. Specifications and information may be obtained from Mr. Herbert Graham, 11 Grace St., phone 541, Newmarket.

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## BIRTHS

**Bentley**—At York County hospital, Monday, April 24, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Bentley, Richvale, a daughter.

**Boaks**—At York County hospital, Sunday, April 23, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. William Boaks, Aurora, a son.

**Devitt**—At York County hospital, Saturday, April 22, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Devitt, R. R. 2, Queensville, a daughter.

**Elliot**—At York County hospital, Monday, April 24, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elliott, Langstaff, a daughter.

**Glover**—At York County hospital, Tuesday, April 25, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Lea Glover, Sutton West, a son.

**Godfrey**—At York County hospital, Sunday, April 23, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Godfrey, Sutton West, a son (stillborn).

**Glass**—At York County hospital, Thursday, April 20, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Glass, Newmarket, a daughter.

**Graham**—At York County hospital, Saturday, April 22, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. William Graham, Newmarket, a son.

**Hadath**—At York County hospital, Thursday, April 27, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hadath, R. R. 2, Aurora, a daughter.

**Hamilton**—At York County hospital, Tuesday, April 25, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton, Newmarket, a son, John Neil.

**Mother and baby fine**—At York County hospital, Thursday, April 20, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lloyd, Temperanceville, a daughter.

**Schmidt**—At York County hospital, Monday, April 24, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Schmidt, Sutton West, a daughter.

**Sleigh**—At York County hospital, Monday, April 24, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. James Sleigh, Newmarket, a son.

**Talin**—At York County hospital, Monday, April 24, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Talin, R. R. 1, King, a daughter.

**Seek Sharon information**

A history of Sharon is being written and those who have family documents and papers, old diaries and other historical matter relating to the period of Sharon's history between 1840 and 1850 can assist the work considerably by leaving the material at The Era and Express office. Sharon people had a considerable part in the Fenian Raids and the North-West Rebellion, and information about Sharon participation in those two events is also wanted.

## DEATHS

**Bales**—At Rose Bank, on Tuesday, April 25, 1950, Terry Bales, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bales and brother of Susan, died at the Newmarket cemetery on Thursday.

**Graham**—At his home, 64 Centre St., Aurora, on Monday, April 24, 1950, Thomas Edward Graham, husband of Emma Copson and father of Muriel, Mildred, Sadie, Willard and George of Aurora, in his 87th year.

Interment Aurora cemetery Wednesday.

**Metcalfe**—At the Toronto General hospital, on Saturday, April 22, 1950, Mervyn George Metcalfe, husband of Leveda Metcalfe and father of Marie (Mrs. Edward Mollins), William Lynn, Kay, Lea, Leone, Marjorie, Carolyn and Marilyn (twins), brother of Mabel (Mrs. Ernest Burridge), Florence (Mrs. W. A. Smith), Toronto; Ruth (Mrs. H. M. Hooker, Newmarket).

Interment Union cemetery, Barrie, Tuesday.

**Pemberton**—At Newmarket, on Sunday, April 23, 1950, Bertha May Simpson, wife of James C. Pemberton, mother of Harold, Percy, Delbert, Margaret (Glenn), and Lois (Cole).

Interment Newmarket cemetery, Tuesday.

**Playter**—At Burlington, on Monday, April 24, 1950, Stanley Watson Playter, Brant Court Apis, Burlington, husband of Ida Crone, and father of Mrs. Frank Chandler of Burlington, in his 73rd year.

Interment in Pine Orchard cemetery on Wednesday.

**Robinson**—On Sunday, April 23, 1950, at Halifax, N.S., Leading Seaman Frederick M. Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson, brother of Mrs. Charles E. Hyde, Mrs. John Dorgan, Queensville; Mrs. John Adamson, John Maxwell Robinson, Mrs. James Logue, Mrs. Leonard Joyce, Timmins, and Eva, in his 37th year.

Interment Mount Pleasant cemetery on Thursday.

**Wood**—At Belhaven on Wednesday, April 19, 1950, Tom Wood in his 90th year, father of Percy and Ira.

Interment in Queensville cemetery.

## IN MEMORIAM

**Ryman**—In loving memory of a dear mother and grandmother, Mrs. Geo. Ryman, who passed away April 27, 1948. Five years have passed and gone since one we loved so well. Was taken from our home on earth. With Jesus Christ to dwell. The flowers we place upon her grave. May wither and decay. But the love for her who sleeps beneath. Shall never fade away. Ever remembered by George, Isobel and Miriam.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. James Pemberton and family wish to extend their heartfelt thanks to friends and neighbors for their expressions of sympathy and beautiful floral tributes, also to the nurses of York County hospital and Dr. John Dales, in their recent bereavement.

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I wish to express my most sincere thanks to my many friends and neighbors for the flowers, cards and fruit sent to me during my stay in the hospital. Especially thanking Dr. John Dales and all the grand nurses at York County hospital. Mrs. E. Peat.

## MARRIAGE

**BALDWIN-ASHTON**  
On Wednesday, April 26, 1950, in Trinity Church, Aurora, by Rev. K. D. Wharmouth, Mrs. Vera Ashton, younger daughter of Mrs. Hulst, Schomberg, and the late Mr. George Hulst, was united in marriage to Mr. Franklin Baldwin, Kingston, Ont.

## Newmarket Social News

—Michael McCaffrey of the staff of the Bank of Montreal, Hamilton, is spending a week's holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McCaffrey.

—Misses Laura Whitfield, Norine Ayers, Audrey Dolby and Lulu Cleland, and Mrs. Alex. Georgas attended the springtime tea and sale in Greenwood Community centre, Toronto, which was sponsored by the Toronto Business and Professional clubs on Saturday afternoon.

**92ND BIRTHDAY**  
Benjamin Armstrong, Zephyr, celebrated his 92nd birthday on April 10. He is convalescing after having broken his hip last December.

**SEE JERSEY FILMS**  
A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mrs. Levi Weddel, Sharon, recently when Mr. Jas. Bremmer, Toronto, showed films of his trip across Canada during which he visited the homes of prominent Jersey breeders. Present were Mrs. Bremmer, Mr. and Mrs. Selby Evans and Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Chapman and son and family. Mr. Bremmer is family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mort, secretary of the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club.

**AURORA BINGO**  
On Saturday, April 29, another bingo will be held at 8 p.m. in aid of Aurora Legion at the hall and it is hoped for a large crowd. The jack pot will be \$5.

**NORTH UNITED**  
(Continued From Page 1)  
The smallest community often gave the most economical and best service to the citizens.

"The County of York will go on even if some of the southern municipalities are annexed," he said. "But it will cost more for everybody."

## PAY TRIBUTE TO DIABETIC SURVEY ASSISTANTS

The health meeting of the Newmarket Home and School Association was held in the town hall on Tuesday evening, April 25, when two large groups heard Dr. A. L. Chute, Toronto, present the report on the diabetic survey conducted in Newmarket. Mrs. Leslie Boynton, health convener, was in charge of the program. The meeting was chaired by the program convener, Mrs. Nelson Ingham, in the absence of the president, Mrs. Ted Mitchell.

The meeting was begun with prayer with Mrs. M. E. R. Boudreau leading. Mrs. Boynton presented the prizes to the winners in the health board essay contest.

Dr. J. Gordon Cook, chairman of the diabetic survey committee, thanked the workers who had contributed so generously of their time to make the survey the outstanding success that it was. He said that much credit must go to factory management, school boards and staff for their part in the project. "The survey greatly disrupted their work, but we received every co-operation," said Dr. Cook. "Never were more complete records kept than those compiled by the women volunteer workers. Despite cold, stormy weather, they completed the very difficult task of a house-to-house canvass of the town," he said.

To Dr. Cook's words of thanks were added those of Mrs. M. B. Seldon, chairman of the canvass organization. She named the various women's organizations in town whose members assisted in the survey.

## QUEEN MARY LODGE HAS EUCHE

An enjoyable and successful euche was held in the Orange Hall, Aurora, on April 19 by Queen Mary L.O.B.A. 204. Prize winners: Mrs. C. Phillips, Mrs. R. Egerton, Mrs. R. Ball; Mr. R. Corner, Mr. M. Cook, Armitage, Mr. J. Sutton. The door prize was won by Mrs. Skinner, Mosley St. The quilt was won by Mrs. Kenneth McClenry, Tyler St. The ladies wish to thank Mr. Fisher of 5c to \$100 store, Mr. J. Hudson, Aurora Greenhouse, Mr. C. Osborne, Wilson Hardware, for prizes donated, also Mr. P. M. Thompson for displaying the quilt in his window.

## LEGION AUXILIARIES MEET AT AURORA

The Legion Ladies' Auxiliaries of Zone 18 held a group meeting in Aurora last Thursday in the Aurora Legion Hall. Present were representatives from King, Sutton, Richmond Hill, Willowdale, Newmarket and Woodbridge. Encouraging reports were given.

Mrs. Pegg, past president of the provincial command, urged that more younger members be encouraged to participate in auxiliary activities. Mrs. Tilby, provincial secretary, applauded the progress the zone was making. Mrs. Curtis, Willowdale, zone commander, said she was retiring at the end of the year and Mrs. Fleet was voted to succeed her.

The next rally will be held at Woodbridge. Lunch was served by the Aurora ladies. A draw held during the evening was won by Mrs. John Murphy, Aurora.

# Of Interest to Women

NEWMARKET WOMEN'S EDITOR: Caroline Ion, Phone 993

AURORA WOMEN'S EDITOR: Mrs. R. D. Hodgkinson, Phone 1386

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## Aurora Social News

The bowling club of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church held its annual dinner at the Ridge Inn Wednesday evening.

Friday evening Mrs. Phyllis Chapman entertained at a delightful personal shower honoring Miss Barbara Case who marriage takes place in May.

Mrs. Edward Dailey entertained a number of her friends at bridge Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Percival Rickard is re-

covering from a recent attack of the flu.

Daffodils and pussy willows centred the tea tables Saturday afternoon when the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church held its springtime tea in Oddfellows' hall. Mrs. Ernest Glass received the guests assisted by Mrs. Milford McDowell. Tea was poured by Mrs. William Orr Mulligan and Mrs. Malcolm Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Hart, Jr., have returned after spending an enjoyable holiday in the United States.

Weekend guests in Aurora included Mr. and Mrs. Dale King, Sharon, who visited Mr. King's mother, Mrs. W. C. King.

Rev. and Mrs. William Orr Mulligan spent a week as the guests of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Mulligan, Montreal West.

Mrs. Ella Malcolm and six other ladies from Stouffville were in town Tuesday to attend the Aurora Business and Professional Women's club bridge.

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## WOMEN'S AID TEA 'MOST SUCCESSFUL'

One of the most successful teas of the season was held at the home of Mrs. W. A. McCaffrey on Friday afternoon, April 21, by the Women's Aid of York County hospital. Assisting the hostess in receiving the great number of guests were Mrs. Rusty Rogers, president, and Miss Thomas, hospital superintendent.

The color scheme of the tea table was carried out in silver and white. White carnations and snapdragons centred the arrangement with lighted white tapers at either side. Pouring were Mrs. Lyman Rose, Mrs. W. L. Bosworth and Mrs. Howard Cane.

Mrs. Arleigh Armstrong convoked the tea and Mrs. W. M. Cockburn was in charge of the sale of home baking. Guests were present from Schomberg, Richmond Hill, Mount Albert, Sutton, King, Aurora and other neighboring communities as well as from Newmarket.

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## SEND CLOTHING

A box of hand-made baby clothing has been sent by the Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity church, Aurora, to Mrs. Evelyn Thompson, one of the parish missionaries, to be given by her to needy mothers in her mission at Boyle, Alberta. The W.A. has also prepared a set of clothing for a boy at one of the Anglican mission schools for Indians at Prince Rupert, B.C. This clothing will be sent through the central branch of the W.A. in Toronto. Some of the W.A. members are planning to attend the annual meetings of the auxiliaries of the diocese in Toronto next week.

## CHILDREN CHRISTENED

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Mulock were christened William Thomas and Deborah Jane on Saturday. They are the grandchildren of Col. and Mrs. W. P. Mulock, Armitage.

## METER RESPONSE

There was a heavy response to the questionnaire about the parking meters in last week's issue of the Era and Express. With replies still coming in, results will be published next week.

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## PROCLAMATION DAYLIGHT SAVING NEW MARKET

April 30 to September 24, 1950



## IT'S A Woman's World

By CAROLINE ION

Last week we began to tell you a little of the work of the Canadian Cancer Society so that there might be a better understanding of the great need for additional funds at this time. As we said, the work of this organization is divided into three classes—education, welfare and research. In the earlier column we dealt with the first two so today will mention only the latter.

In Newmarket, the Home and School Association is sponsoring the appeal. Organizations in town are being contacted to assist financially in this fight against cancer. Individuals are reminded that cheques should be made payable to the Canadian Cancer Society and sent to the treasurer, Mrs. Stewart Beare, Newmarket Home and School Association, or donations may be left at any bank.

In 1947, the minister of health and welfare, Hon. Paul Martin, called a nation-wide meeting of those interested in cancer. From this resulted the National Cancer Institute. The following year there was an affiliation between the society and the institute with a common executive director, secretary and treasurer and an interlocking board of directors. The society obligated itself to be a successful foster parent to the institute and the latter which is a purely professional body was to concern itself with the research aspects of the fight against cancer.

Yearly applications are made to the institute for funds in aid of research. This year 74 such projects have been accepted and funds allocated for them. Twenty-four of these research projects are in Ontario.

As well as financing research work, the institute makes funds available for training the highly skilled men such as radiation therapists and other professional persons who following this training will return to the institute to continue research work.

Co-relating its efforts with those of the institute which devotes itself entirely to research, the society has fellowships to send young men and women away to learn the particular techniques of diagnosis and treatment for hospitals in this country. These people bring back to Canada their highly trained skills for use in combating cancer.

All these activities require money. But more important than the need of money is the existing poverty of skilled, trained persons in Canada and the second is dependent on the first.

**In answer to the demands of thousands of women across Canada, a Toronto milling company is now selling its flour in sacks made of bright tea towel and gaily-colored cloth print material, household economists announced in Toronto last week.**

Women have always made wide use of flour and sugar sacks as

a hard-wearing material in housedresses and children's clothes but the cloth usually required considerable soaking and bleaching to remove the printed label and restore the whiteness to the fabric.

Today, when emptied, the 24-pound bag of flour becomes a bright tea towel merely by unravelling a seam and soaking in water to remove the label. The 98-pound flour sack is of gaily-colored print material, suitable for dresses, aprons, table clothes, slip covers and many other useful household articles.

Cotton consumption by textile bag manufacturers has risen sharply in the United States as a result of the industry's recovery program, under which bags used for flour and other similar commodities are salvaged and reprocessed into apparel and household items. Last year 1,500,000 copies of cotton-bag sewing books were distributed in the United States.

### JOAN NELSON WED IN BELHAVEN HOME

The marriage of Joan Gwendolyn Nelson, daughter of Mrs. O. E. Smith and the late Emanuel Nelson, to Ronald Walter Kydd took place on Saturday, April 8, at the home of the bride's parents in Belhaven. Rev. E. A. Nichol officiated and Mrs. E. Nichol was pianist.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her step-father, Mr. O. Smith, wore a pale blue rayon taffeta street-length dress with matching headpiece and finger-tip veil and carried a nosegay of red roses, pink and white sweetpeas and white carnations. Miss Auldene Kydd, sister of the groom, as bridesmaid wore a pale yellow sheer dress, carrying a nosegay of carnations, roses and sweetpeas.

The best man was Leeland E. Nelson, brother of the bride.

For the reception Mrs. Smith received wearing a navy blue silk dress and was assisted by Mrs. W. Kydd who chose black flowered silk jersey. The house was beautifully decorated in pink and white with wedding bells and pink candles lighted.

For travelling the bride chose a grey gabardine tweed suit with navy accessories. After a short honeymoon the couple will reside in Belhaven. Guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Fielder, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Nelson, Belhaven, grandparents.

Visitors from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Fielder, Toronto, Mr. C. Brooks, Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Nelson and Mr. C. Cronin.

### SAY GOODBYE TO LONG TIME NEIGHBORS

Mrs. George Stuart entertained at her home on Friday evening, April 14, in honor of Mrs. Charles LeGood. Mr. and Mrs. LeGood have resided on Gorham St. for the past 35 years and it was with reluctance that their neighbors learned of the coming move. This move, while of no great distance, takes the couple from that immediate neighborhood and about 30 friends gathered at the Stuart home for an enjoyable evening. Mr. and Mrs. LeGood will reside on Timothy St.

Presents were given to Mrs. LeGood by her assembled neighbors and lunch was served by her granddaughters, Katherine and Jean Anne LeGood.

### JR. LADIES' AID PLAN FOR TEA, SALE ON MAY 11

The Junior Ladies' Aid of the Christian Baptist church, Newmarket, held its regular monthly meeting April 11, at the home of Mrs. Chas. Harmon, Strigley St.

Devotionals were in charge of Mrs. Ralph Adams and Mrs. Robt. Morrison who brought an interesting message.

Mrs. A. Kirbyson presided over a lengthy business session in which all plans for the tea and talent sale on May 11 were completed.

A delicious lunch was served at the close by the hostesses: Mrs. D. Godson, Mrs. G. Cook, Miss Annabelle Smith and Mrs. J. Fisher.

### CRACKER FIRE

A school boy returning home from afternoon classes Monday tossed a lighted fire cracker onto the roof of the Aurora Textiles Ltd. which resulted in a flash fire. Only slight damage was done to the roof.

## BIRTHDAY CLUB

Birthday wishes are extended this week to:

Jimmy Drury, R. R. 2, Aurora, ten years old on Friday, April 21.

Janet Hendry, R. R. 3, Newmarket, ten years old on Friday, April 21.

Wallace Merlyn Sheridan, Armistage, seven years old on Friday, April 21.

Grant Taylor, Cedar Brae, six years old on Saturday, April 22.

Dianne McNelly, Zephyr, three years old on Saturday, April 22.

Barbara Colleen Smith, R. R. 1, Newmarket, one year old on Saturday, April 22.

Charles Bruce Brandon, Uxbridge, five years old on Sunday, April 23.

Lloyd Sheridan, R. R. 3, Newmarket, three years old on Sunday, April 23.

Gary Franklin Cambourne, Kettleby, six years old on Sunday, April 23.

Ronald Arthur Worville, Mount Albert, ten years old on Monday, April 24.

Carol Emmerson, Nobleton, eight years old on Tuesday, April 25.

Nancy Carol Ridley, R. R. 3, King, six years old on Tuesday, April 25.

Walter K. Rae, Virginia, nine years old on Wednesday, April 26.

Howard Kenneth Gilroy, Winona, four years old on Wednesday, April 26.

Lynda Ruth Koshel, Newmarket, seven years old on Thursday, April 27.

Shirley Craig, Newmarket, ten years old on Tuesday, May 2.

Send in your name, address, age and become a member of The Newmarket Era and Express Birthday club.

### AURORA COUPLE MARK ANNIVERSARY

April 17 afternoon and evening Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hill celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at a family gathering and reception held at their home, Wellington St., Aurora. Over 100 friends called during the day to congratulate them.

They were married in Leicester, England, and came to Canada in 1905. With the exception of the first year, they have resided in Aurora since that time. They have four sons, Frank, Aurora; Percy, Lindsay; Roland, an Anglican minister in the Peace River district, and Arthur of the Royal Canadian Navy, stationed at Halifax. Phyllis, their only daughter, now Mrs. Harry Conitt, resides in Toronto.

There are nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Roland, who could not be here for the re-union, will arrive next week from the Peace River to receive the degree of Doctor of Divinity from Wycliffe College, Toronto.

### EASTBOURNE GIRL WED AT ROCHE'S PT.

A very pretty ceremony took place on Wednesday, April 19, at Christ church, Roche's Point, which was beautifully decorated with standards of white and pink snapdragons, when Frances Elizabeth Willoughby, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willoughby of Eastbourne, Lake Simcoe, and George Everett Stiles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stiles of Sutton West, were wed. Rev. M. C. D. Hutt officiated. Music was provided by Mrs. E. J. Bunn at the organ. Soloist, Mr. Chapman, was accompanied by Mr. Whitney of Sutton.

Given in marriage by her father, the lovely bride was gown in white satin and lace, her veil of tulle illusion held in place by a small coronet of flowers. She carried a cascade bouquet of spring flowers.

Mrs. Lorne Stiles of Sutton was matron of honor and wore pink taffeta with matching halo, and carried a bouquet of spring flowers. Mrs. William Williams, bridesmaid, wore green taffeta, matching halo, and carried a nosegay of spring flowers.

The little flower girl was in a floor-length gown of pale blue nylon with matching blue bonnet and long gloves held in place with pink and blue ribbon. She carried a nosegay of small spring flowers.

Lorne Stiles was best man for his brother and ushers were Joe Kelly of Newmarket and Harold Snooks of Sutton West.

The reception was held in the Memorial Club, Roche's Point, and there were about 150 guests, many from a distance, and many friends and relatives from the nearby country. Photos were taken of the bridal party despite the rain and of the bride cutting the cake. The bride was then cheered on her way. In the evening many returned to the club to dance as Mr. Willoughby had arranged an evening dance for all in the community and a very enjoyable evening was had.

SEEK KITCHEN UTENSILS

An appeal has been made by the Newmarket Scout-Guide Mothers' Auxiliary for kitchen utensils in good condition for use at the Scout-Guide camp. Anyone having such kitchen equipment which they wish to donate to the camp is requested to contact the president, Mrs. C. E. Wheeland, phone 2061.

## Newmarket Social News

—Mr. and Mrs. P. Sydney Legge and Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Walls spent the weekend in Des Moines as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Joseph Knipp.

—Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burch, Mono Centre, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Newton and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. Al Tharby, Toronto, visited Mrs. Tharby's brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dobbie, on Sunday.

—Mr. Ivo Ramm underwent an operation at Toronto hospital, Weston, on Wednesday, April 19. He is reported to be progressing very satisfactorily.

—Mrs. Harry Doyle, Collingwood, is spending a few days in town.

—Mr. and Mrs. Melvil Craig have returned to their home in Saskatoon, Sask., after spending a week in town at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Craig.

—Miss Bertha Tunney, Kitchener, spent the weekend at home with her mother, Mrs. Leo Tunney.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Mingay, Aurora, and Mrs. Mingay's

grandmother, Mrs. Gardiner, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mingay on Sunday.

—Mrs. Howard Newton has returned home from a ten-day visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burch, Mono Centre.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ray Legge, Toronto, visited Mr. Legge's father, T. H. Legge, on Sunday.

—Miss Dorothy Bennett accompanied by Miss Ruth Sholtz, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Herman Bennett and family.

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Tod and little son, Ian, Kitchener, spent the Easter week with Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Tod.

—Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Newson and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Craig and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Storey and family, Bradford.

—Mrs. Fred Hoover spent two weeks with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Boden, Galt.

—Misses Florence Sisler and Beverly Riseborough were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gunton, Jr., Aurora.

### THE HOMEMAKERS

### Crisp greens from gardens

We all know that the young, tender, crisp greens taste best. Whether they are cooked or eaten raw in salad, the fresh plants are most delicious. So, as soon as the greens come into your kitchen, look after them. If you aren't going to cook or serve them at once, put them away where they'll stay fresh.

First, wash them very carefully and thoroughly, being careful not to bruise them. Discard any wilted, yellow or damaged leaves of lettuce, cress or other leafy greens, then shake the greens gently in a towel to remove any excess moisture and store in a covered container, in the refrigerator or other cool place. They'll keep fresh for several days this way.

Because asparagus grows so close to the ground it is necessary to wash it very thoroughly to make sure that there are no particles of sand under the scales. It is usually necessary to remove the scales as particles of grit cling beneath them. Tender asparagus should not need to be scraped.

Asparagus heads are extremely tender and therefore easily broken, so the spears should be tied in bunches and cooked with the tips up. The tall top of the

double boiler makes a good asparagus cooker. Some homemakers purchase an enamel coffee pot for this purpose exclusively. The water is never allowed to cover the tips, rather let the lower part of the stalks boil in the water, while the tips steam. Salt, added at the beginning of cooking, tends to toughen the asparagus so it is better to add it after the first ten minutes of cooking.

The water from cooked asparagus is one exception to the oft-repeated rule "save the vegetable water." It is apt to be acid in flavor.

### ASPARAGUS WITH SCRAMBLED EGGS

12 stalks asparagus  
2 tbsp. butter  
6 eggs  
½ tsp. salt  
Pepper  
6 slices toast

Cut asparagus in 1-inch pieces and cook in boiling, salted water for ten minutes. Drain. Melt fat in top of double boiler, add well beaten eggs, set over boiling water and stir gently until eggs begin to thicken. Add asparagus, salt and pepper. Continue stirring gently until eggs are cooked but not dry. Serve on hot, buttered toast. Yield: six servings.

### SHOPPING WITH BETTY

### For the bride's buying

By BETTY BRAMMER

For any of you gals who are planning to middle-aidle it in the near future, we saw a wonderful bridal set in a shop in Newmarket. Beautifully made of heavy snow white satin and lavishly trimmed with lace the set consisted of gown, slip and panties. Really reasonably priced.

— B —  
A double duty dress, partyish alone and demure with the jacket, seen in a Newmarket shop is in a coffee shade with black figures. The dress is quite plain with low scoop neckline and little sleeves. The only trimming is a fairly large black bow on the front. The jacket has three-quarter sleeves, no collar at the back and the lapels are wired so they will stand up nicely. Just as effective with or without the jacket.

— B —  
For the young miss up to 12 years a suit is ideal for spring. One of the shops in town has some lovely all wool suits, grey jackets and pretty pastel pleated skirts in pinks, yellows and blues. The "up to seven" size skirts have over-the-shoulder straps and the larger sizes are just like big sister's or mother's.

— B —  
We saw some of the latest ring mountings in Yates Jewellery store. Two particularly beautiful ones were platinum with baguette diamonds on the

### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH

There was a meeting of the Sidesmen of St. Paul's church, Newmarket, on Monday evening with the Rector and Wardens to work out the schedule for the coming months. Today the Senior Woman's Auxiliary is holding its closing weekly meeting of the season to pack the bales and end up with a jolly pot luck supper. The next meeting will be the second Thursday in May to hear the reports of the delegates to the annual convention in Toronto, and to make arrangements for the deanery conference to be held this year at Woodbridge early in June. The Evening Branch of the W.A. packed and shipped their bales to headquarters last week, which consisted of several layettes complete to the last detail.

The Rector says all parents who plan to send their boys and girls to Camp Couchiching, to make their reservations soon. For further information consult the Rector.

## MRS. T. A. MITCHELL RE-ELECTED W.I. PRESIDENT

Mrs. T. A. Mitchell was re-elected as president of the Newmarket Women's Institute at the annual meeting which was held in the agricultural board rooms on Thursday, April 20. Mrs. Frank Hope took the chair during the election of officers.

The meeting was under the direction of Mrs. L. R. Coupland and her group, with Mrs. Coupland leading the ladies in a sing-song. Mrs. Roy McDonald gave the district report which had been held over from the previous meeting.

Those elected to office for the coming year include: hon. pres., Mrs. C. E. Lewis, Mrs. Arthur Boyd and Miss L. Toole; pres., Mrs. T. A. Mitchell; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. Elton Armstrong; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. Robert Lewis; sec., Mrs. Elman Campbell; treas., Mrs. C. F. Willis; assist. sec.-treas., Mrs. Charles Near; publicity, Mrs. Fred Proctor; pianist, Mrs. Allan Mills; assist. pianist, Miss Bertha Neilly.

District director, Mrs. Roy McDonald; directors, Mrs. W. E. Richardson, Mrs. Arthur Brammer, Mrs. Myrtle Brilling, Miss L. Toole and Mrs. David Evans; refreshment committee, Mrs. Norman Hopper, Mrs. Elton Armstrong, Mrs. W. H. Travis and Mrs. G. D. Farren; program committee, Mrs. Roy McDonald, Mrs. Robert Lewis and Mrs. Fred Proctor.

Standing committees: citizenship, Mrs. M. E. R. Boudreau; agriculture, Mrs. Robert Lewis, Mrs. Norman Rogers and Mrs. Fred Proctor; historical research, Mrs. Myrtle Brilling; home economics, Mrs. Frank Hodgson; social welfare, Mrs. W. E. Richardson and Mrs. R. E. McMullen; auditors, Mrs. Robert Lewis and Mrs. Herbert Dunham; flower committee, Mrs. David Evans and Mrs. W. H. Travis; hospitalization, Mrs. Wm. Young; assistant, Mrs. Herbert Dunham; rest room, Mrs. G. W. Luesby, Mrs. Wm. Geer, Mrs. Roy McDonald, Mrs. Ross Howlett and Mrs. T. A. Mitchell.

### AURORA WOMEN HOLD SUCCESSFUL BRIDGE PARTY

The Aurora Legion Hall was the scene of a very successful party last week when the Women's Progressive Conservative Association held its Spring Time bridge. Twenty-seven tables were set up in the large main floor room, and later refreshments were served by the social committee.

Mrs. J. B. Garstang and Mr. W. Wilson won the first prizes and Mrs. Charles Sherston and Mr. P. Rickard were awarded second prizes. Mrs. F. Little, Newmarket, and Mr. W. Stollard received the consolation prizes. Lucky draws went to Miss Louise McDonald, Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Crawford Rose and Mrs. C. R. Boulding.

## Mayer presents trophies To Aurora bowlers

Mayor Alex Bell presented the Aurora Recreation Cup Monday night to the Collis Leather Co. team, winners in the industrial bowling league. Members of the winning team received statuettes of a bowler and prizes donated by Ben Harrison. Captained by Roy Braithwaite, the players Andy O'Neil, Stan Walker,

George MacFarlane, Jack Turville, George Fluery and "Red" Castle had a tough time to gain top score over Hart Manufacturing team captained by Sid. Aylett. Slaman Shoe Co. took third place in the final play-off.

The mayor expressed his pleasure at having the honor of presenting the cup, and a cheque to the second team. On behalf of the players he thanked Mr. Harrison for the interest he had taken in the teams during the past season.

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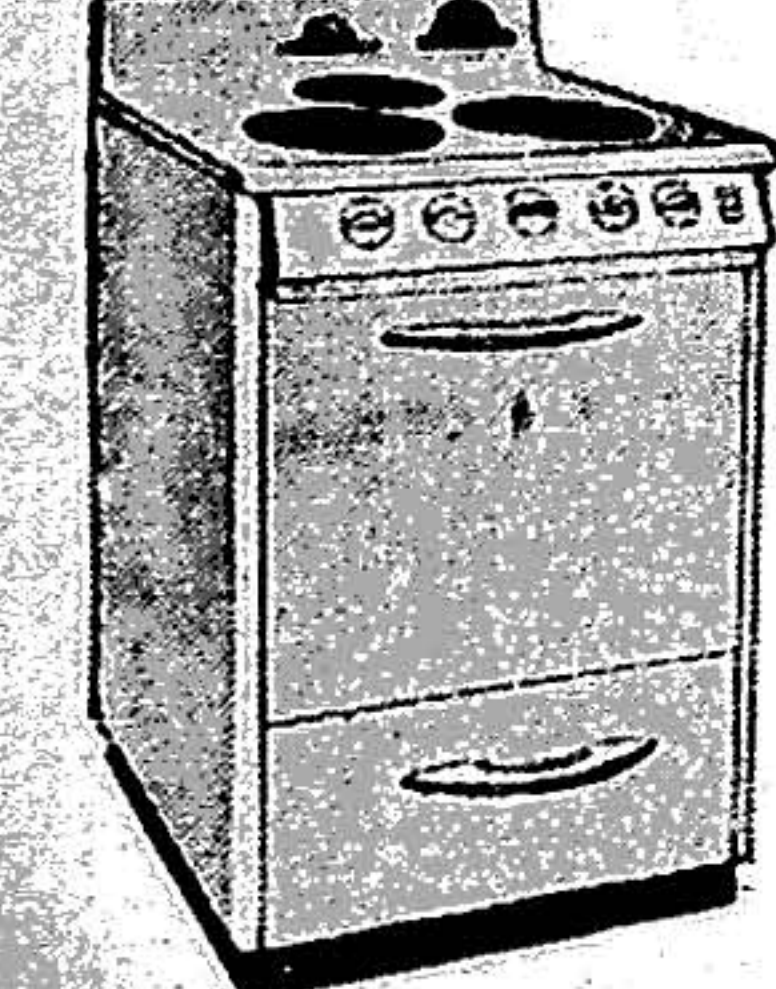
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Rex Wheat Germ Oil, 4-oz. - \$1.25		VioBin Scarer Tals,	
	20-oz. - \$5.00	complete treatment (3 tabs)	\$1.75
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Septicemia Bacteria	50 cc - \$1.10	VioBin-Fen-Mycin Ointment	\$1.25
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## Haskett's HASH

BY GEORGE HASKETT  
Newmarket Sports Editor



Chop small and mix—that's hash.  
Ha! so you didn't know? Thought it was some-  
thing that came along Monday just like wash day.  
And so it is. But the hash we're interested in is little  
squibs of info from here, little notes from there. Need  
'em all to make a column. As the June theme always  
goes, "for better or for worse," that's the new topper  
—Haskett's hash. So come along and give a listen.

Have the shiny more or less  
unscrambled, barring a few left-  
overs. A breather now before  
someone comes along and rolls  
up his sleeves and hollers  
"play ball". So no better time  
for the switch. By the by, if  
you land a fish too long to meas-  
ure—Era and Express has some  
dandy rulers. Slam a hole in one  
on the links, run a nine end on  
the green. That's the hash we're  
after, give us a shout.

**Play-ball signs** and signals  
grow louder. Local picture, say  
this every year—must be in a  
rut, doesn't look too rosy. Vets'  
deal at the fair grounds that  
held a lot of promise of a new  
era has collapsed. Planned a  
new diamond, bleachers and  
floodlights at the old home of  
hardball and mushball but the  
project has been given up.

Vets, in fact, are likely to  
withdraw sponsorship of inter-  
mediate mushball side. Sad day  
to see them out of it, gained a  
fine reputation hereabouts for  
cracker-jack softball nines. Does  
appear Messrs. McDonald, Van-  
Zant, Dillman and Gibney have  
to search out a new sponsor. So  
that leaves us with no concrete  
plans for a top flight diamond  
and floodlights. Both projects  
go on our "must" list.

Wurra, wurra. How to get?  
What about same basis as arti-  
ficial ice? Voluntary workers,  
subscriptions and helping hand  
from the town finances. Govern-  
ment grant could also be secured  
on a project of this nature. Arena  
now takes care of six  
months—give and take a month  
—for the sports clan. Real ball  
field would take care of the bal-  
ance.

Would have to be a small  
charge at the gate to keep it on  
a paying basis as things go to-  
day. Certainly need is very ur-  
gent if tri-county baseball is to  
be considered. Present hardball  
field at the Stuart Scott, after  
many years of work, is a menace  
to life and limb of an infielder.  
So let's get along with the job  
of a combination diamond at the  
fair grounds—or maybe you have  
a better idea for a location.

Send out the call for a general  
meeting of all interested in get-

ting the ball rolling. What bet-  
ter place to spend an evening  
watching the boys and girls go  
about getting nine frames in  
without worry of darkness.

**Diamond dust.** Should the  
Newmarket team gain a Tri-  
County berth, would get a few  
summer licks at old friends at  
Sutton and Stouffville. Both are  
in the western division of the  
league. North York Softball  
League last year didn't measure  
up to usual standards. This sea-  
son, promise is for greater things.  
Eight teams in all. We're count-  
ing Newmarket, of course. Other  
seven are Schomberg, Aurora,  
Richmond Hill, a new entry,  
Woodbridge, Lansing, Langstaff  
and Thistleton, the other team  
seeking membership. Does sound  
like quite a softball session.

**Hockey season** goes tottering  
along on its last legs. Hold-  
overs are Aurora Black Hawks.  
Down three against the fast strid-  
ing Collingwood "Greenshirts".  
All three have gone against the  
Mitchell clan by a single counter.  
Hawks may get in a lick or two  
on their own this week. North-  
erners are good, as all are quick  
to agree, but can't see them  
making a sweep. Hadn't caught  
the Hawks until this series for  
quite a spell. Surprised at the  
unit coach Bill Mitchell has  
worked out.

Had a tough row to skate —  
first losing several key men via  
O.H.A. rulings and then injuries.  
Win or lose the championship,  
the Hawks, coach Bill Mitchell,  
manager Earl Attridge and the  
club exec. can be proud of their  
achievement over the season.

O.H.A. convention is a spring  
stop over this year. Usually goes  
first week in December but this  
year is due this Saturday, April  
29. Warm session to match the  
weather anticipated as various  
phases of the metropolitan area  
plan gain delegates' attention.

Waiver rule—first it was in,  
then it was out—hasn't been too  
well received by the teams. May  
be pushed back into the rules  
again. Did give the lads who  
might otherwise have been at  
home by the fireside a chance  
to shoot and skate elsewhere.  
Vote as you like, but vote.

Still no final decision on all-  
star, most gentlemanly, and most  
valuable player awards in the  
Trolley circuit. Two votes need-  
ed to wind it up. Come on, now  
time's a wasting. Final ratings  
expected this week. Gananogue,  
conquerors of the Spits, didn't  
last long. Were ousted in a  
hurry in a round-robin series  
with Tillsonburg and Port Col-  
borne. Latter two teams are  
now at it for the intermediate A  
O.H.A. crown. Don't forget the  
Rod and Gun club show at the  
town hall Friday, April 28.

### Aurora firemen hosts At bingo, dance

Four hundred dancers and  
bingo enthusiasts crowded the  
Gray Stones, Aurora, Friday eve-  
ning when the Aurora Fire Bri-  
gade held a ball and bingo.  
Ken Rose acted as chairman ably  
assisted by the entire brigade.  
Merchants and business firms  
donated prizes for the affair.  
The portable radio donated by  
Jim Wilson was won by Law-  
rence Lawaska. Second prize, a  
tri-lamp, donated by P. M.  
Thompson, was won by John W.  
Bowser. Third and fourth prizes,  
breakfast sets donated by Mar-  
shall Rank and John Bowser,  
were won by Earla Seaton and  
Mrs. H. Jones. Mrs. Garnet Bar-  
rager won a pair of auto lamps  
donated by Ernie Holman.

### MOUNT PLEASANT

Mrs. Stiles had Miss Elaine  
Wood, student teacher, at her  
school last week.

The Women's Guild met at the  
home of Mrs. Ross Stiles last  
Tuesday. It was well attended  
with all members present.

Mrs. Everett Yorke spent last  
week at the home of Mrs. D.  
Crawford at Baldwin, also calling  
on other friends.

Mr. Carl and Miss Nellie Rose  
and Reta Gordon, Newmarket,  
had Sunday supper with Mr. and  
Mrs. Robt. Davidson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stiles  
spent last Tuesday with Mr. and  
Mrs. Percy Brown.

Some from here attended the  
shower at Belhaven last Thurs-  
day evening in honor of Mr. and  
Mrs. Ronald Kidd.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Davidson,  
Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Davidson  
and Miss Iva Stiles were in New-  
market on Friday calling on Mr.  
Davidson who returned from  
hospital a week ago and is feel-  
ing much improved.

Deisel engines are on the in-  
crease on Canadian railroads.  
Sugar is not only for sweeten-  
ing. It helps in making soap  
transparent.

## On The Alleys

Nobody is taking any bets as  
to who'll capture the champion-  
ship in the Monday Night  
Ladies' League — they're that  
close. Ties are a dime a dozen.  
Three are tie for top slot, Aces,  
Jokers and Snoops with 58.  
Huskies and Deuces are all even  
in the runner-up spot with 49.  
Rookies have been pushed into  
the basement with 46. Deuces  
and Jokers released the brakes  
Monday to register sweeps over  
Snoops and Rookies respectively.  
Aces took the measure of Husk-  
ies 3-1. Four weeks to go so  
it'll be a miniature war from  
here in. Bea Daly was number  
one scorer belting out a three-  
game mark of 678 (194-249-235).  
(Miss) Mary Osborne gained

second place honors with 629  
(193-207-229). Scores in the 500  
block worth a note were turned  
in by Edna McGrath 591, Phyl.  
McInnis 590, Alice Gibson 564,  
Billy Blandy 544, Jeanne Gatti  
536, Claire Pollock 534, Floss  
Gibson 527.

Jean Wrightman forged to the  
front in the Thursday Night  
ladies' league, with a high three  
games of 601 (227-218-156).  
Myrtle Dunn tallied 585 (236-  
168-182) to take second place.

Playoffs this week with the  
V.L.A. bowling fraternity. Pin-  
ups finished on top with 80,  
Timber-Ribs 76 and Scatter-Pins  
54. Over the season, Tom Sad-  
eski topped the averages with  
191, Lou Tompkins 179 and Art  
Lloyd 175. In the ladies' section  
Arlene McTavish compiled a 156  
average to lead, Barbara Thomp-  
son and Violet Curtis were tied  
for second with 139 averages.  
Neil McDonald spilled the pins  
for a 229 single and 370 two-  
game score to lead the men last  
week. Arlene McTavish checked  
in with a 203 single and 372  
double to pace the ladies' scor-  
ing.

Another week to go in the  
Ladies' Lawn Bowling circuit.  
Looks like the Bell Hops are in  
with 40% points, Anna Bells  
have 36, Dora Bells 31%. Lil

### 5,000 payees recorded At Queensville rink. Plan summer program

Despite the whims of Jack  
Frost, which made an early start  
impossible, Queensville arena  
enjoyed a most successful sea-  
son. "Everyone is well pleased  
at this first winter's showing,"  
according to Bert Boyd, arena  
manager.

A break-down of attendance  
figures indicates some 5,000  
paid to witness the various hock-  
ey games or to skate. Three  
thousand took in the hockey  
matches while some 2,000 odd  
skaters paid admission. The lat-  
ter figure included several large  
skating parties organized during  
the winter.

Main drawing card in hockey  
proved to be the newly organized  
Lake Simcoe Hockey League.  
Mount Albert, Vondorf, Pine  
Orchard as well as Queensville  
staged their home games at the  
arena. Largest single drawing  
card was the final play-off game  
between Mount Albert and  
Queensville. The latter set to  
filled the rink to near capacity as  
672 payees squeezed their way  
into every nook and corner.

Actually attendance was well  
over the 700 mark as the kiddies  
were admitted free of charge.

Mr. Boyd has had an oppor-  
tunity, now that the ice is out,  
to inspect the asphalt floor laid  
in the arena last summer and  
says it has come through the  
winter in first class shape. A  
busy round of summer activities  
is being planned with dancing  
taking the spot-light. Plans are  
also being advanced for volley-  
ball and kindred sports.

### Aurora Indians Scoring summary

Listed below are the facts and  
figures on the scoring over the  
season by Harold Rogers' Aurora  
Indians, including the two semi-  
final games against Sulton  
"Greenshirts".

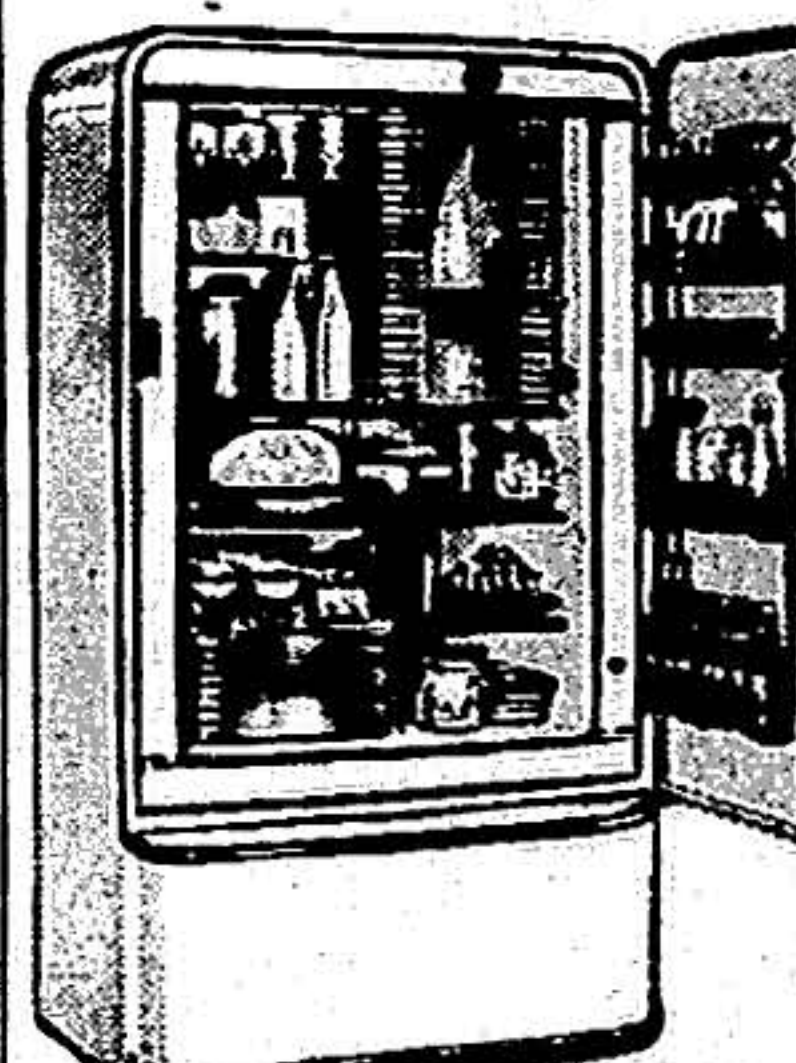
	G.	A.	Pts.
Bill Mundell	20	22	42
Tom Brodie	19	20	39
Loring Doolittle	11	5	16
Ray Williams	3	11	14
Murray Brandon	10	4	14
Vic Maharg	4	6	10
Ron. Simmons	4	5	9
(3 games)			
Irky Ross	2	6	8
Norm Nigh	4	3	7
John White	4	2	6
Norm. Taylor	1	5	6
Bill Patrick	4	2	6
Bruce McMillan	2	4	6
(3 games)			
Tex Groves	1	4	5
Stan. Foster	4	1	5
Grant Fifth	2	2	4
(2 games)			
Grant Groves	3	1	4
(3 games)			
Howard Patrick	1	2	3
Ross Edwards	0	2	2
Don. Gibson	0	1	1
(1 game)			
Ross Taylor	1	0	1
Walt Davis	0	1	1
(1 game)			
M. McPhee	0	1	1
(1 game)			
D. Shepard	1	0	1

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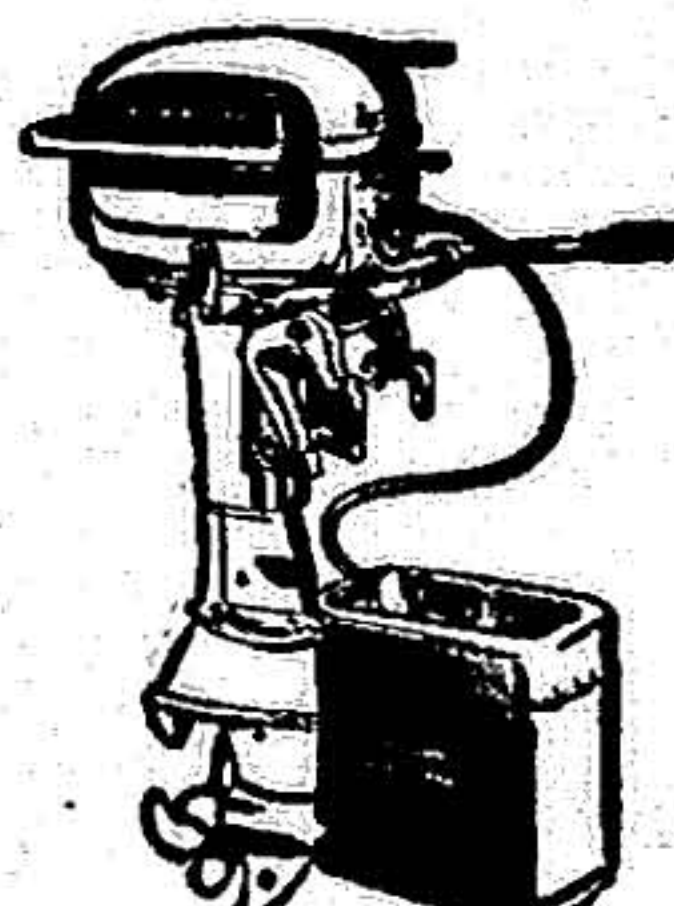
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## Arenas bulge for finals

Shut the door, they're coming through the windows! Yessiree Bub, you'd better get to Aurora arena tonight early if you want to see another of those junior classics which have wowed the fans at Collingwood and Aurora the past ten days and drew more fans to see junior "C" at both centres than ever before.

Record crowds have filled both the classy Collingwood arena, which in our books rates as about the best in small town Ontario, and the ancient Aurora igloo. Twenty-three hundred and 3,000 spectators saw the games at Collingwood and 1,556 and over 1,700 jammed Aurora arena. There may be a new record set tonight but if so, we guess they'll be taking to the rafters.

New time gave the Collingwood fans a jump at the Aurora arena ahead of a lot of the Au-

ra and district faithful. The Hawks' supporters are still crying blue murder over the arrangement which saw only 80 ducats come to Aurora for the game in Collingwood where most of the Aurora followers had to stand almost four hours. They've forgotten that now, however, by virtue of the fighting performance the Mitchell clan gave on Tuesday night.

By goals, Aurora is one up on Collingwood in the four games played. But it's games that count and the Hawks have a long way to go yet. If they'll continue to muck in and rough it up a bit as they did on Tuesday they may well carry the series to the limit. Collingwood didn't look too good on Tuesday as the red and black used their weight to good advantage and after a sloppy first period were hotter than firecrackers, carrying the play to Collingwood in place of waiting as they've done other games.

We had the pleasure of listening to coach Red Mitchell give his pep talk to the lads before they took the ice at Collingwood. The urban gentlemanly Mitchell knows his hockey and he gave the lads the correct dope, but it should be remembered that a coach is no better than his players and a coach can't play it on the ice. The boys will tell you

themselves that after getting the correct solution to some of their problems they simply failed to execute them in the game.

At any rate, come what may, there's a real feeling of mutual respect between the players and their coach. Club spirit is at a peak now, and it may well carry the Hawks to the heights. Keep your fingers crossed. In case you're wondering how come the game is at Aurora tonight, the Aurora management won the toss in Collingwood. The sixth game goes to Collingwood on Saturday if all's well and the seventh will likely go to Barrie.

A big handicap to the Aurora club has been that without Ben Sellars, down with influenza, the Aurora kids have been forced to play with two pivot players against three for Collingwood. That has meant that Ron Simmons and Laurie Thoms have been forced to work overtime, and neither one are noted back-checkers, but they've shouldered the load and it hasn't effected their offensive play very much.

Blondie Marchant returned to the line-up on Tuesday and having been out of the game six weeks he played well and the rest he was able to give Thoms and Simmons certainly aided the Aurora cause.

Before the season ends, it's time somebody gave an accolade

## SIMCOE LOOP READY TO GO ENTRIES MAY 6

Everything points to another banner year in the Lake Simcoe Softball League. That statement rings true if the competitive spirit and enthusiasm of the delegates is any weather-vane. The league held its inaugural meeting of the 1950 season at the Sharon Hall on Wednesday.

Following Archie Dike's treasury report which painted a bright picture, the election of officers was held. Ross Chapman of Queensville was re-elected president. Fred McLeod of Sharon, first vice-president; Ken Hodgins of Keswick, second vice-president; Harry Brammer of Pine Orchard, secretary. Horace Pearson of Mount Albert after many years in this office, sent along his regrets that he would not be able to act this term. Archie Dike of Hope was given a vote of confidence as treasurer. Two publicity men, in the northern section, Claude Pollock of Keswick, and in the south, Doug Hope of Pine Orchard, were chosen.

The league rules were given the once over and practically all except the one in connection with players serving on the executive, were held tight. The delegates agreed on a single schedule if there are ten or less teams.

Deadline for team entries was set May 6. Better get busy, men. The executive and delegates are scheduled to meet at the Sharon Hall on Friday, May 12, to complete final plans for the season.

**BALL MEETING MAY 2**  
Quite naturally with the switch to fast time coming along this weekend Newmarket players and fans alike turn their thoughts to the diamond sports. With this in mind, all sportsmen are asked to be on hand at the council chambers at 8.30 p.m., Tuesday, May 2, to consider plans for both softball and baseball. Also up for consideration will be the formation of a ways and means committee to go into the matter of floodlights. Be there, fellows, it's getting late.

## Hold children's days At Optimist carnival

A special day for the children of the Royal True Blue Orange orphanage has been planned for the Newmarket Optimist Spring Carnival. It is hoped that arrangements will be made to bring one or two bus loads of children to the carnival at the Stuart Scott school grounds on Thursday afternoon, May 11. There will be free rides and ice cream for the children from the orphanage.

The carnival runs for four days, May 10, 11, 12 and 13. On the first day, Wednesday afternoon, there will be reduced prices for children from elementary schools in Newmarket on the carnival rides.

The Optimists are raising money to carry on their work with young boys following the motto "Friend of the Boy" and community welfare work. Admission is free to the carnival grounds which will feature the ferris wheel, rideo, scooter rides and prizes.

**ATTENTION VETERANS**  
The Canadian Legion Service Bureau officer, J. E. Bays, will visit branch 426, Newmarket, from 1.30 p.m. to 3 p.m., on Monday, May 1, 1950.

Anyone wishing information, advice or assistance regarding war disabilities, pensions, treatment, allowances, etc., are requested to contact Wm. La Parde, phone 424w for appointments.

## Hawks win 4th of 7-game series Play again tonight

Coming up from the count of nine like real champions, Aurora Black Hawks flew to a brilliant 7-3 win over Collingwood Greenshirts in the fourth game of the junior C finals played before 1,700 leather-lunged fans at Aurora on Tuesday night.

Aurora had to take this one or pack its equipment for the season. With the count standing 3-1 in favor of Collingwood on the series, the Aurora kids can't afford another loss, but having won the big one, it team spirit and confidence count, the Hawks are on their way again. They certainly outclassed Jack Portland's boys on Tuesday and this was the only decisive verdict of the series, the three other games all being won by a single goal margin and tainted in two instances at least with a bit of luck. The breaks until Tuesday hadn't come Aurora's way and on Tuesday by sheer ruggedness and determination the Aurora kids made their own breaks.

Tonight the fifth game is carded in Aurora and it should be a real lullapallooza. Neither team will lack for support, and in case you haven't seen these two teams go, you won't find more thrilling hockey anywhere. The teams could play to twice the capacity of Aurora arena if the seats were available.

Here's the running story of the game that brought the smiles back to Aurora once again.

**Aurora 7 Collingwood 3**  
Off to a ragged start it looked as if Collingwood would start the game away in the first period. It had an edge all the way, outshot and outthrew the Hawks and the Aurora team was lucky to be only one down. Barney Walmsey got the opener at 8:32 as brother Al relayed a pass from the corner with the Aurora defence looking on. At 16:10 Jim Barrett made it 2-0 and those Collingwood fans really whooped it up. Twenty-one seconds later, Grant Firth brought the Aurora fans to their feet as he scored a beautiful goal on the fly as he took Thoms' pass.

Len Cook got a softie 40 seconds after the second period started as the puck was lost in the corner and he whipped home the relay. Bruce McMillan came back for an Aurora goal three minutes later as lanky Toar Hill sparked the attack. When Switzer drew a penalty, Aurora hit paydirt, Billy Attridge knotting the count. That started it, Laurie Thoms going for two dandies with Bill McGhee setting up the first and Firth the second. It was 5-3 for Aurora as the period ended, Aurora outshooting Collingwood 15-4 in the period.

Moe Petch really bogged down Collingwood's game third period try as he blasted home a hot one from the blueline which Ron Simmons had directed to him. Don Gibson climaxed the night with the seventh Aurora goal, Firth sharing in the honors. It was six straight goals for Aurora without a reply and the Hawks looked better the longer it went.

Barrett of the visitors suffered a leg injury in the second period which spoiled his effectiveness. Keith Wardell was carried to the Aurora dressing room in the third as he crashed heavily into the boards. Moe Petch was the bad man of the night, drawing three penalties of the five handed Aurora. Collingwood had three penalties all from the blueline brigade.

It's tough to name the top players of the night for Aurora. We can't miss the performance of the Thoms-Gibson-Firth line. They got four goals, killed off most of the penalties and checked the Collingwood so-called first line most the way. The blueline honors go to McGhee and Hill on their respective duos, while Paul Maguire was aces in the nets. The rest of the kids were not far behind in effectiveness, if not as spectacular. For Collingwood, Frankie Dance and Len Cook

carried the mail most of the night, while Tommy Cain was most effective on the defence.

Aurora: g. Maguire; def. Hill and Petch; c. Marchant; w. McGhee, Atkinson, Thoms, Gibson, Firth, Attridge, Simmons and Collings.

Collingwood: g. Hook; d. Switzer and C. Fryer; c. B. Walmsey; w. Cook and A. Walmsey; subs. Ivey, Cain, Dance, Morrill, Barzetti, R. Fryer, Fawcett and Meek.

Chapter two of the Junior C series was prepared before close to 1,600 fans, just about tops for Aurora arena. Unlike the first game it was Aurora who struck first and had the Shipbuilders on the run in the first period. Until the game was half over it appeared as if the Hawks would fly away with the rich pickings as they led 3-0 at the 33 minute mark. Then James "Chubby" Barrett went to work. As the Hawks relaxed he banged home his first goal, and as Grant Green got a needless penalty the rout forward went for two more, three goals in three minutes. That was all Collingwood needed, it passed the non-plussed Hawks and kept command to the end. It was a bitter pill for the Aurora folks to swallow. Piercy Allen and Red Woods did a fine chore with the whistles.

Aurora outshot Collingwood 16 to 9 in the first period but only Don Gibson could find the net. Hook played brilliant hockey in the Greenshirts' net.

Bruce McMillan scored a beauty at 30:10 as Ron Simmons set up the play. Grant Firth with Moe Petch in the penalty box reversed his field and surprised the whole Collingwood team with a beautiful goal. Petch returned and then the Hawks relaxed and Mr. Barrett went to town. Not only was the score tied, but Al Walmsey put the visitors one up at 37:10 and Bob Morrill got a goal that just beat the bell at 39:59.

Gibson raised Aurora hopes early in the third as he took Thoms' pass and made no mistake. Cook got that back at 47:28. With Fawcett off, Ron Simmons climaxed a fine night's play with a goal at 57:29. Try as they did, the Aurora kids just couldn't get the equalizer. Firth missing the big moment as he shot into Hook's pads with only the goalie to beat. Captain Bill McGhee received a nasty cut in the third period but gamely continued. The three stars: Barrett and Hook, Collingwood, and Gibson, Aurora.

**Collingwood 2, Aurora 1**  
The largest crowd in the history of Collingwood hockey saw the Greenshirts make it three straight with another one goal win over the luckless Hawks. This game was the stowest of the three played to date as both teams appeared to be willing a bit. But it didn't lack for thrills or sustained action and both teams were dead on their feet as the game ended. Once again "Chubby" Barrett put the fly in the ointment with a third period goal that provided the winning margin. It was a lucky goal at that as the rebound came straight out to Barrett who had deked Attridge momentarily. Under strict instructions to check the bejabbers out of the Dance-Morrill-Barrett line, Messrs. Collings, Simmons and Attridge did just that and as has been said, except for the lucky rebound, the teams might be playing yet.

Bruce McMillan draw a senseless penalty for hooking in the first period with play being about even at this stage. Len Cook took Barney Walmsey's pass, outsped the Aurora team and fired from about 20' out to pick the upper left corner. Paul Maguire played the shot too late. With only eight seconds left in the period, Ron Simmons equalled the count for the prettiest goal of the series. He stick-handled his way past two Collingwood defencemen without a hand being laid on him to drill one past Hook.

The second period saw Aurora outshoot Collingwood 10-2 and have much the best of the play, especially as Switzer, the big defenceman of the Portland team, drew a double minor. Aurora had an advantage of the odd man for three minutes but couldn't click. Grant Firth had another grand chance to give Aurora the edge but shot too quickly.

The third period saw Collingwood get an early goal and hang on to their lead grimly. The Aurora kids were too tired to get anywhere and a penalty to Gibson bogged down the last semblance of an attack that was dangerous. Collingwood outshot Aurora in the final period and here it was that Paul Maguire put on a spectacular performance as he kicked out plenty of well directed rubber.

The three stars: Len Cook, Collingwood, Ron Simmons, Aurora, and Hook and Maguire, the rival netminders, get equal merit marks for the third spot.

**Sisman bowlers**  
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The 1949-50 champs each received a silver ash tray with a bowling pin. They were Geo. Pattenden, Miss N. Peterson, D. Egan, H. Burgess, Wm. Hammond, Sr., B. Wilson.

High average, Geo. Pattenden; high triple, Bun Pattenden; high single, I. Anderson; high handicap triple, T. Rank; high handicap single, H. Burgess. All received a bowling trophy.

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Early in April, 1781, reinforcements for the Queen's York Rangers arrived and General Phillips took command of the army in Virginia. Williamsburg was the first objective, but on the way the Rangers' cavalry seized Yorktown. Meanwhile, the regiment's infantry had driven the enemy out of Williamsburg. On the 24th the troops landed at Appomattox and commenced the advance on Petersburg.

Three days later, assisted by other regiments, the Queen's Rangers attacked and captured the enemy's fleet in the James River. Returning to Petersburg on the 8th of May, the Americans were found in possession, but were quickly driven out. On the 10th of May, the regiment was ordered to march south and find Lord Cornwallis. After nine days of exciting marching the regiment located the objective.

During July, the army moved eastward. On the 23rd, the regiment was ordered on another detached service. Impeded by a drove of cattle collected for the army, their return march was slow. Near Williamsburg, it was overtaken by Wayne's Brigade and a strenuous fight ensued. At the time it looked serious for the Rangers but their indomitable spirit won the day.

Collected on the Yorktown Peninsula, surrounded by the French and American armies on land, and the French fleet by sea, the regiment crossed the York river and took up a position on Gloucester Peninsula. In September the investment of Yorktown became complete and the garrison was in sore straits. And the middle of October, Simcoe had permission that:

"As the Queen's Rangers consisted of Loyalists, the object of the enemy's civil prosecution, and deserters, if the treaty was not finally concluded, that he would be permitted to endeavor to escape with them." This Cornwallis would not permit. On the 19th of October, the whole

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Mr. Ray Williams, Aurora editor of The Era and Express, has left his position. He is succeeded by Mrs. Dorothy Barker, Kennedy St., Aurora. Mrs. Barker, an experienced newspaper woman, is well known in Aurora and district.

**AURORA PLANS PLAYGROUND PROGRAM**

An appropriation of \$200 has been made by the Aurora Recreation Commission for publicity.

Don Glass, chairman of the commission, reported at a meeting held Thursday in the town hall, that extensive plans for playground activities this summer may mean the employment of paid supervisors.

Youth participation in all of the activities sponsored by the commission has been most encouraging. Four midweek hockey teams, organized and trained by Tom Dixon, recreation director, and his assistant, Bill Mundell, have about completed a powerful puck chasing season.

The Saturday morning craft classes under the guidance of Mrs. B. L. Stavert have outgrown their present quarters in the town hall. Winter classes have averaged between 30 and 40 children ranging in age from six to 12 years who received instruction in leathercraft, metalcraft and puppetry.

There was considerable discussion at the meeting regarding the Saturday night dances held each week in the high school. Frank Griffith's resignation as manager was accepted. It was decided to have Tom Dixon act in a temporary capacity until a new manager has been appointed.

**BROWNHILL**

Last Friday evening at Mount Albert, Brownhill players performed once more to a packed house. The plays, skits, music and songs gave a full evening of entertainment. Then after the show came a lovely surprise for the cast and assistants when Mr. Maddill and Mr. Bruce Rolling, Mount Albert's tall fire chief, announced that there were sandwiches and cake for them. This turned out to be quite a banquet which made one feel one had a dressing-room full of roses like real Hollywood stars. All the credit for this wonderful coffee, cake, etc., goes to Mrs. Bruce Rolling, Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Ernest Sedore, Mrs. Dawson Dike, Mrs. Bert Morton, Mrs. Roy Carr, Mrs. Ernie Davis. It is to be hoped we haven't omitted any of the names of the committee. It doesn't seem possible that these few women provided all the food. All the folks who were there and enjoyed it wish to thank all who were responsible for the court-essies shown to Brownhill, and we do hope our little help with the show will in some way repay these ladies for everything and we wish Mount Albert much success with this venture of a fire hall. We learned while chatting with the chief that Mount Albert's fire engine comes equipped with nine barrels of water and hose equipped to reach right through Mount Albert. After listening to Chief Bruce Rolling talk about this shiny new fire engine our fear of fires was immediately banished.

Mrs. Amos York has returned home after a short visit at the home of her son, Morley, and his wife, who have just moved into their new home.

Sunday Brownhill school ball team attended Sunday-school arrayed in their team sweaters, faces all smiling. We are quite sure that Brownhill boys are very proud of their new sweaters.

Mrs. Emeline Sedore has won the prize this year for being the first to get started at her spring housecleaning.

Miss Irene Comer visited a short while last Sunday at the home of Mrs. Frances Sedore.

Mrs. Wilmot King and Mrs. Wilfred visited a short while at the home of Mrs. Roy Crouch last Thursday.

Come to Sunday-school next Sunday, boys, girls, mothers, fathers, yes, grandparents, too. All are welcome. Sunday-school begins at 10:15 a.m. Rev. N. Bosko, pastor.

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Mr. and Mrs. Olson, Mr. and Mrs. White, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Longford Pegg on Sunday.

**ZEPHYR**

The re-opening and rededication of the Zephyr United church will take place on Sunday, April 30, daylight saving time. The Rev. Mr. Davies of Stouffville will be the speaker at the 11 o'clock service. The Rev. Mr. Shapter of Mount Albert will be the speaker at 7:30 o'clock in the evening. Our own choir assisted by the Orilla quartet, led by Mr. Austin Cook, a former Zephyr boy, will provide special music at both services. Every-

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**An Aurora Opinion**

By DOROTHY BARKER

Aurora Editor

"Stop." Of all the traffic signs, the stop sign is the most important and the least respected. Too many motorists roll up to a through street, give a cursory glance first right, then left, and without even changing gears enter or cross the thoroughfare.

They know that it is impossible to police every intersection where these signs have been posted. After they have gotten away with breaking this traffic law a few times it becomes a habit. Shucks, they've never had an accident, so why worry?

There is also the driver who thinks a 30-mile zone is just a sign placed at either end of the town. Cars whizz through on Wellington and Yonge Sts. at a rate of speed far in excess of 30 miles per hour.

Drivers of through traffic vehicles are not the only offenders. X marks the spot on the licence plate that proves the driver is often a local resident or someone from the surrounding district who should be familiar with the traffic rules.

An accident can happen in a split second. Practically every traffic case in magistrate's court has been charged as the result of a breach of the Highway Traffic Act. Magistrate O. S. Hollinrake recently advised a number of citizens brought before him for traffic violations to obtain a copy of the act and study the entire contents. This is good advice for every driver to follow. Yonge St. is not only our main street it is also No. 11 highway which makes it doubly important for local residents to be familiar with the law.

The members of council and the town foreman made a street inspection Saturday. They had the motorist in mind as well as the pedestrian as they made their survey which included plans for new stop signs.

It has been predicted that the number of cars on the highways will reach an all-time high this summer. If every citizen observes and obeys these speed and stop signs, the traffic hazards of the

body welcome.

Miss Marion Lockie gave a birthday party on Saturday afternoon for her nephew, Dale Lockie. He was celebrating his second birthday. A number of little boys and girls attended the party and all had a happy time.

Mrs. J. B. Topper and daughter, Helen, Lansing, visited at the home of Mrs. A. B. Lockie last Saturday.

Mr. Ivan Law has purchased Mr. Albert Hockley's residence.

Some of the boys from Zephyr attended the banquet given at Queensville to the hockey boys of that town. Each player was presented with a windbreaker.

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6.50/16	6	31.65	11.00	20.65	5.00	3.35
6.70/15	4	22.40	7.00	15.40	4.95	3.30
6.70/16	4	22.90	6.00	16.90	5.00	3.35
7.00/16	4	27.85	8.00	19.85	5.40	3.60
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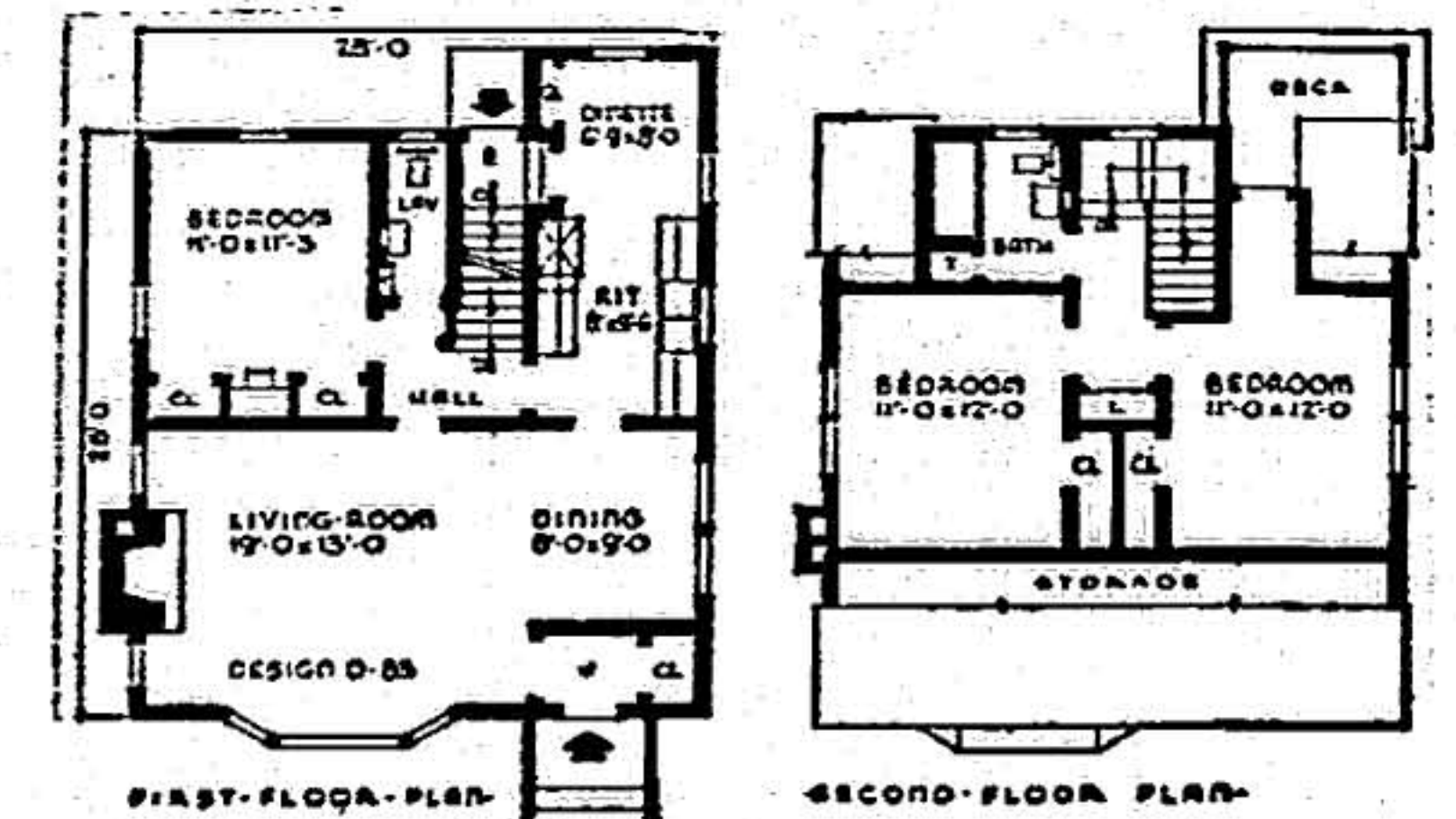
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## Queensville News

At the meeting of the Evening Auxiliary held at the home of Mrs. E. Denham on Monday, it was decided to pack a bale of used clothing. These clothes must be clean and in good repair. Please leave all clothing at the home of the supply convener, Mrs. Art Alexander. There is urgent need of clothing overseas, so as you look over your supply during housecleaning, remember this need.

The sympathy of the community is extended to Mrs. Wm. Huntley on the death of her brother, Mr. Charles Watson of Cookstown. Mr. Watson was buried here on Thursday afternoon.

A number of the C.G.I.T. girls attended the Spring Rally at Unionville on Saturday. Represent S.S. No. 5.

Mrs. L. Wellman and Mr. R. Strasser were appointed to the provincial committee to represent S.S. No. 5 at the organizational meeting of the East Gwillimbury Federation of Agriculture on Wednesday night at Sharon.

Mrs. Wallace of London was a weekend guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Weston.

Remember May 6—tag day for the blind. There will be a house-to-house canvass in the village. Other donations from out of town may be left with Mrs. J. B. Aylward at any time around that date.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Alexander and Lorraine motored to Walkerton on Saturday to attend the funeral of Mr. Alexander's uncle.

**To Plan Baseball**  
An organization meeting was held on Thursday night to arrange ball plans for the coming season.

Mrs. Geo. Pearson, Mrs. L. Wellman and Mrs. E. Stickwood attended the spring tea of the W.A. of Toronto Centre Presbytery at Deer Park United church on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Cameron of Hallock, Minn., visited Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wright for several days.

Miss Lois North was a weekend guest of her sister in Toronto.

Miss Ruth Mahoney spent the weekend with Miss Bessie Terry, Keswick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Fairbairn of Trafalgar spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weddel. Mrs. Gordon Faris, Roltiton, formerly of Toronto, visited her sister, Mrs. Sydney Thompson.

Rev. D. Terry, Montreal, and Mrs. Brodie, Willowdale, visited their sister, Mrs. C. Doane, on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey McCordick, Newmarket, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. Thompson on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Stickwood moved on Tuesday to Gilmore for the summer.

The welcome to our community Mr. and Mrs. Wm. VanZant and family and Mr. T. Mosler of Newmarket who are moving this

### BELHAVEN

On the afternoon of Saturday, April 8, a pretty wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Ormsby Smith, when her daughter, Miss Joan Nelson, became the bride of Mr. Ronnie Kydd, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kydd, east of Belhaven. Rev. E. Nichol, Sutton West United church, performed the ceremony. Guests of honor were Mr. and Mrs. Fielder, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Nelson, the latter grandparents of the bride. The happy couple took a motor trip down the St. Lawrence, returning by Peterborough. They reside in Belhaven.

On the evening of April 19, the Belhaven community hall was crowded with friends and relatives of the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Kydd. The occasion was a reception and shower when numerous and lovely gifts were presented to the happy couple. Friends came from Lindsay and also Orangeville.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winch on Saturday afternoon after a survey of their cottage on the lakeshore road.

Mrs. Wm. Winch spent a couple of days in Toronto recently at the home of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Wilson.

The Gray Coach has been travelling through Belhaven for a few weeks which is a great convenience to residents in Belhaven and district.

Mr. and Mrs. Reg Willoughby, Toronto, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kydd on Sunday.

Sorry Mrs. Ivan Mann has been quite sick during the past week. Hope she will soon be feeling better.

Weather continues rather cold with quite a lot of frost at nights. Rains are helping to make the wheat fields look green again.

### HOPE

Hope W.A. will meet at the home of Mrs. Auley Brenair on May 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Dike visited Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sproton, Aurora, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Andrews, Helen and Hilda, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rose.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Stickwood visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Walker, Bogartown, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stickwood and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Russel Stickwood, Newmarket, on Sunday.

Mr. Will Morton, Newmarket, had dinner on Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Stickwood.

Mrs. Will Shields left on Monday to visit her mother in Regina.

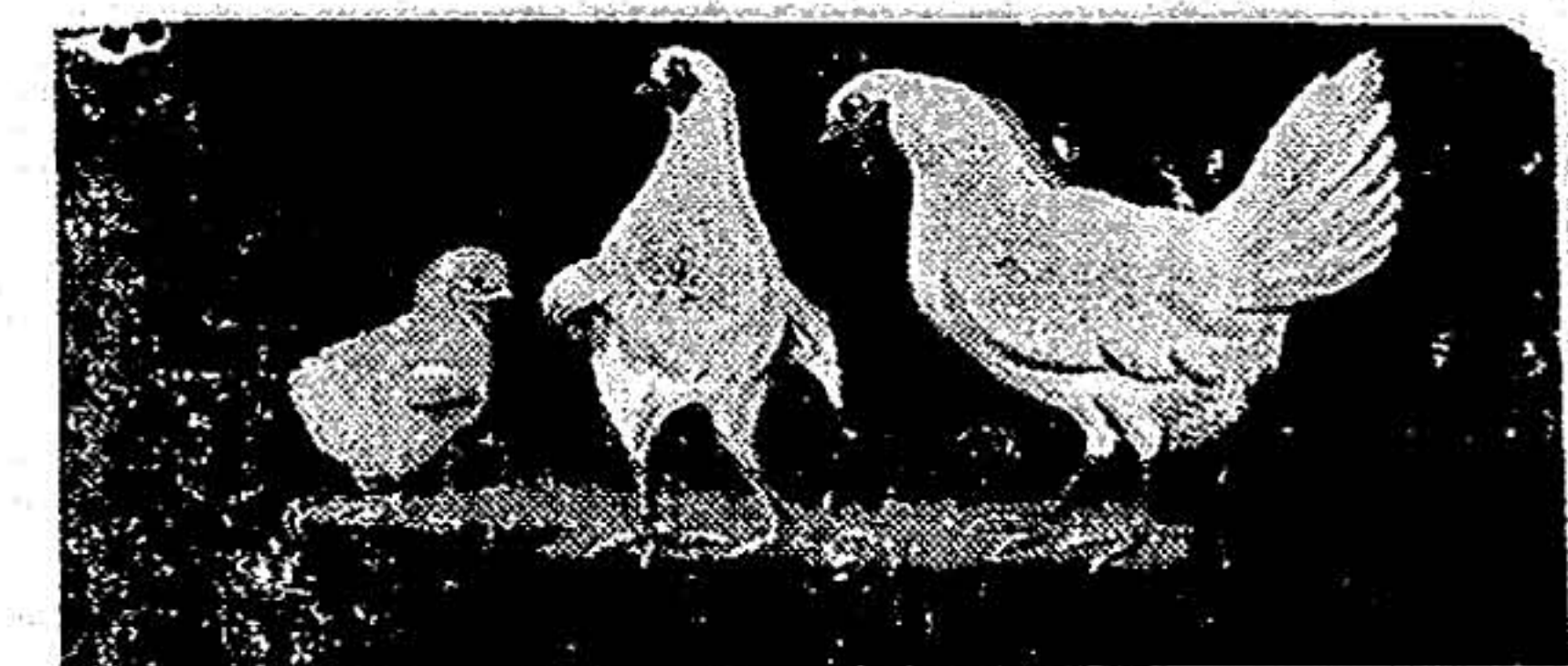
Mr. and Mrs. Herb Tansley celebrated their seventh wedding anniversary on Sunday.

Greyhound racing is one of the most popular sports in Britain. The British single-seater glider record is 230 miles.

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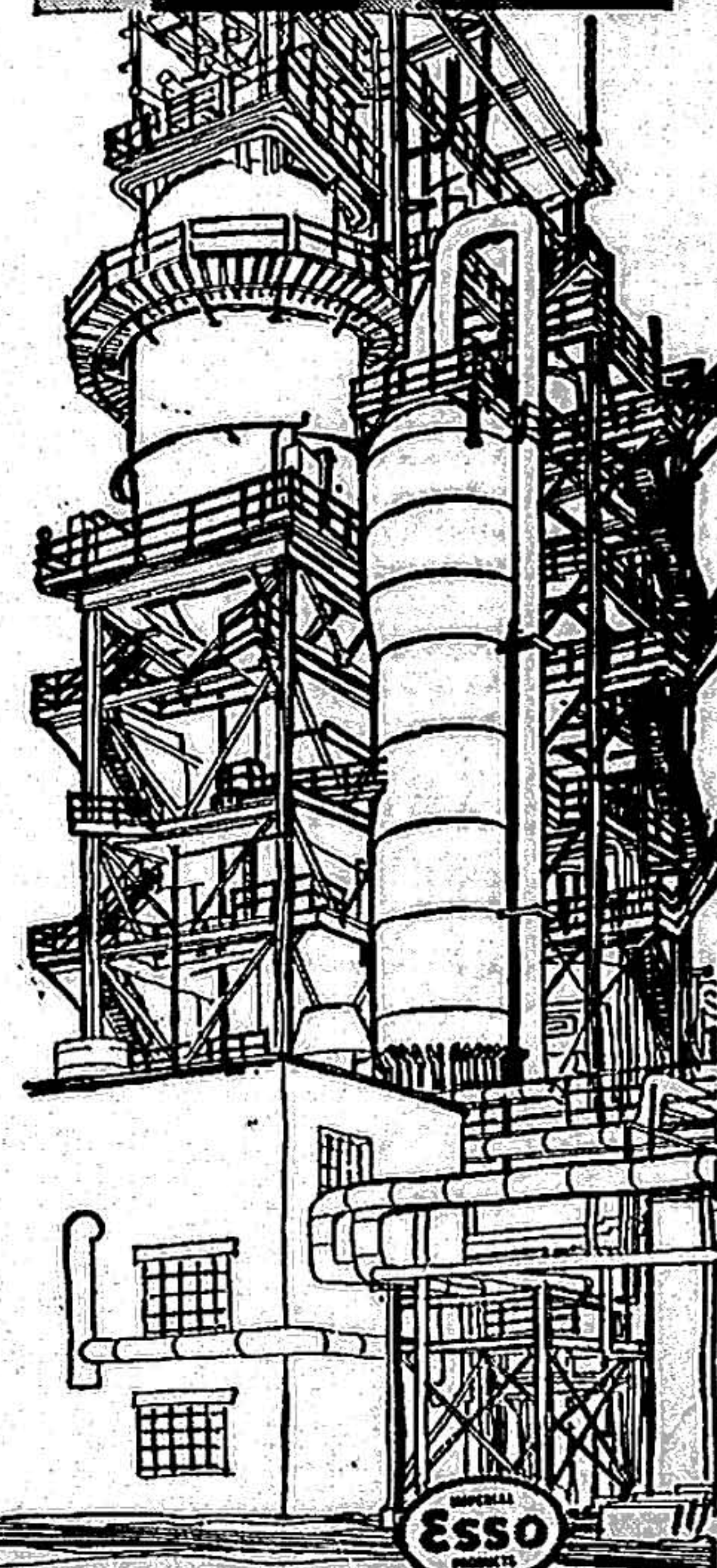
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**W.A. MEETING**  
A meeting of the Woman's Association of Trinity United church, Newmarket, will be held in the Sunday-school room on Thursday, May 4, at 2:45 p.m. Mrs. Elman Campbell and her group will be in charge of the meeting. A full attendance is requested.

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YOUNG HOPEFULS BY DOROTHY MUIR BOWMAN

## Janet is genius in sleep

Janet, a teen-ager, is helped to overcome her sleep-walking complex.

Although sleep-walking isn't unusual, Janet's case of sleep-walking is unique. She began by turning the key in the door to unlock it and then would try to leave the house. After Janet was discovered unlocking the house door in her sleep, the key was hidden from her; but she would look until she found it—all in her sleep. Even though the key was put in a secret hiding place, Janet would locate it. It was suggested that the key

be placed in a dish of water. This system proved effective—Janet awoke when she reached for the key in the water. No ill affects have been noticed as a result of this type of awakening. Generally speaking, sleep-walkers aren't as ingenious as Janet although there are some unusual cases on record. Precautions should be taken so that no harm comes to them: open windows barred, staircases barricaded, clothes lines above head level, footstools and coffee tables cleared from the middle of the room, etc.

Though it is deemed unwise to suddenly awaken a sleep-walker, no harm ever results from gradually awakening one. Gentle conversation is sometimes effective whereas ordinary conversation is too startling. Gently taking a sleeper by the hand and walking with him is preferable to halting him or suddenly grabbing him. In many instances the sleep-walker can be quietly guided back to bed where the awakening is natural. Frequently, the sleeper relaxes into sleep without actually awakening. Over eating, over tiredness, excitement, indigestible foods and fears have been suggested as possible causes for sleep-walking. It is a habit that children often outgrow—although it is sometimes acquired in an adult life previously free of sleep-walking and nightmares.

## SURPRISE COUPLE ON ANNIVERSARY

A surprise party was held on Sunday, April 16, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Cooper, Kennedy St. E., Aurora, in honor of Mr. Cooper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cooper, on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Cooper were married in England on April 16, 1900. Mr. Cooper came to Canada in 1918 and Mrs. Cooper a year later. They have two sons, Alfred and Allen, both of Aurora, and one grandson, John. The house was decorated with spring flowers, many of them gifts. Mrs. M. Ferguson poured tea and Mrs. Wm. MacGill had charge of the dining-room. Mrs. N. Egan, Mrs. Wm. Foster, Mrs. C. Spence, Mrs. B. McGill, Mrs. John Klees, Miss L. Bunn and Miss D. Hoffman also assisted.



## The Common Round...

By Isabel Inglis Colville

THEY DID IT AGAIN!

Town folk last week had just one destination—And you all know what that was—The old town hall, despite its reputation, Let each assess the cause.

There, listening to the Lions' gentle roaring With song and laughter to the rafters soaring. They shuffled off their every-day affairs And only vaguely felt the hardness of the chairs.

Two Lion tamers kept the show intact—Bill Greig and Alex. Eves to be exact—Bill Greig two problems handled well: The orchestra—who thinks he's swell,

And then the Lions he must face, To help them keep their tuneful pace, While Mrs. Blossdale's wondrous art Of every background formed a part.

The songs were those that when one hears, Some bring the laughter, some the tears. There's Alabama Barbeque Where Jimmy Walker dances too,

While one small lad there, felt it wrong That he only sang one "Mammy" song! To Carolina we went soon To linger neath its silver moon,

While Charles Boyd in tuneful rhyming Begged that moon to still keep on shining. To the deep south we journeyed too, With Terry Doane and "Lindy Lou",

Where honeysuckles perfumed rare And sweetest bird songs filled the air. And then two lost and sad small boys Were comforted with sweets and toys;

Young Hilliard, weeping, was led away While Chester, on Alex's knee did stay. And West with a real "barker's" roar Told what the midway had in store.

This barker's bark, on our ears falling Made us think Ang had missed his calling. Gene McCaffrey, piping weirdly Oriental tunes that seem the

Setting for the dive that Amos These five nights has made quite famous. While Jo-Jo even eats and walks And of insurance sometimes talks.

There between scenes one and two Budd's harmonicaists (?) come through Playing songs of long ago With appeal that old songs know.

Tobey Twins the chorus led In the search for shortnin' bread, While poor, tired Johnny Hines Tells the audience he pines.

Life grows tedious when you're weary, All the world seems sad and dreary. This is followed, you will see, By "Lazy Bones" appropriately,

With McCaffrey and chorus Sending music floating o'er us. Then the Kingfish and Ang West Give us of their very best.

"Funny," doesn't say enough Of their really comic stuff. I just can't find any word For the genuinely absurd.

You'll just have to see and hear them Airing many a real town problem. Then a lovely, gentle song Terry Doane brings along,

Making memories go far down To the heart of our home town. Next comes Huntley and the chorus Singing how the sun rolls o'er us,

Lucky Old Sun to roll along While below the busy throng Has to work and sweat instead While he just rolls overhead.

Then scene two comes to an end As the chorus voices blend. Now between scenes two and three Bill Greig's orchestra you'll see,

Bowing, blowing, piping blending Through the maze of music wending. Bringing out the lovely things That makes music soar on wings.

Here I'll say that on one night We got just an awful fright, For we saw our Amos coming, He, a violin was thrumming,

Of his skill he wasn't showing, But his sense of humor knowing, We were slightly apprehensive And a bit on the defensive.

Maybe he just made conclusions All musicians have delusions. So I'd better go and hie me To the Kingfish ere Eves fires me!

Charles Boyd opened scene three "Without A Song" mostly pleasantly; Andy with the chorus singing Sent our thoughts to Jolson winging.

"Mammy" has appeal for all—Big and little, great and small. Then who doesn't like to see Feet as fleet as Evans be?

While Ken Ponting kept the rhythm For the Evans' dancing lissom. Murray Huntley next comes pleading That the river bend receding

From his door, we hear him pray That the river stay away. While the chorus sweetly singing Sent the pleading echo ringing,

Now we're at the end, we've found All for "Alabama Bound". But some words I'd like to say—Just a few words, by the way,

Andy, Lightnin', Kingfish, Amos Are on the way to become famous, While the chorus, Greig conducting, Has improved past all recording,

Only this in memory store, You can always improve more. And another thing I'd say—Tribute everyone should pay

To our great accompanist, Most delightful pianist. And to Mr. Warden we Make a bow, for he, you see Put lights where those lights should be.

Alex. Eves must glow with pleasure When he thinks of what a treasure He has in this minstrel show,

For as you and you each know, Everyone who suffered there On each hard and tight-packed chair, Said "Why, we would go again If we, tickets could obtain."

What can anyone say more Than encore, encore, encore? I find I've two things more to say Before I put this script away.

In the opening scene, "Old Folks at Home", Our thoughts with Del and Andy roam While music from the banjos ringing Makes splendid background for the singing. And Gibson and Georgas make us feel The lure of southland very real.

## C.W.L. RE-ELECTS MRS. HENRY MOORE

Mrs. Henry Moore was re-elected as president of the Newmarket division of the Catholic Women's League at its annual meeting and election of officers. The meeting was held at St. John's school on Tuesday evening, April 11.

Reports which were submitted by the officers and committee chairmen showed that the league had had a busy year. Those elected to office included: pres., Mrs. Henry Moore; vice pres., Mrs. H. J. Cain; sec., Mrs. Earl Griffin; treas., Miss Florence Goldsmith.

Committee chairmen will be named later.

## NEIGHBORS MAKE RECENT BRIDE WELCOME

A surprise party was held recently at the home of Mrs. John Richardson, 46 Davis Dr., Newmarket, for her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harry Richardson, the former Agnes Johnston of Hamilton. A recent bride, she was presented with gifts from her new neighbors who welcomed her to Newmarket.

An added surprise was the gift presented by her neighbors and friends to Mrs. John Richardson who is sailing to England for a visit in the near future. After a delightful evening, lunch was served by Miss Eleanor Smith and Mrs. Ernest Lundy, and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, Mrs. Stewart Martin and Mrs. Roy Chant poured tea.

## SCOUT-GUIDE AUXILIARY PLANS SPECIAL MEETING

The closing meeting of the season of the Scout-Guide Mothers' Auxiliary will be a social evening with the presentation of a special program. It will be held in the Scout hall on Monday, May 1, at 8 p.m. In charge of the program is Mrs. Bert Budd.

On the program will be vocal solos by David Winkworth, Marion Gibson and Mrs. H. M. Beer, accompanied by Mrs. Eugene Cane and Mrs. C. E. Blossdale. Mrs. B. L. Sinclair will give a reading and there will be a piano solo by Jean Rose.

The double trio from the junior choir of the Christian Baptist church will be heard in a selection as well as a dance routine from the class of Mrs. W. J. Landen. In the former group are Joan Widdifield, Marilyn Knowles, Muriel Broughton, Mary Epworth, Joan Gibson and Jean Bennett. In the latter those participating include Anna and Judy Morton, Maureen West, Colleen Cain, Bonny MacCachin, Oak Ridge, and Shirley Hayes, Aurora.

Margaret Ann Crowder and Mary Lou VanZant will contribute a duet and there will be charades by Mrs. B. L. Sinclair and Mrs. Douglas Brown. The evening will close with the playing of Scout-Guide games and the serving of refreshments.

Everyone interested in the work of the Scout-Guide movement as well as the mothers of Cubs, Brownies, Guides and Scouts are invited to attend this meeting. Members of the auxiliary are reminded to bring their talent money which will be used towards the camp and any used kitchen ware they care to donate to the camp.

## B. AND P. CLUB ELECT NEW EXECUTIVE

Miss Laura Whitfield was elected president of the Newmarket Business and Professional Women's club at the annual meeting on April 17. The retiring president, Mrs. Jean Elnes, presented a report on the activities of the organization for the past year as did the other officers and convenors.

Mrs. C. E. Wheeland, the evening's guest, took the chair for the election of officers. Those elected are: past pres., Mrs. Jean Elnes; pres., Miss Laura Whitfield; vice pres., Miss Norine Ayers; treas., Miss Audrey Dolby; cor. sec., Miss Margaret Ward; rec. sec., Mrs. Madeline Hunter.

Committee chairmen: membership and emblem, Mrs. Isabelle Garrioch; program, Mrs. Violet Dales; publicity, Mrs. Katherine Cummings; group activities, Miss Florence Goldsmith; finance, Mrs. Reta Peever; overseas parcels, Miss Isabel Mitchell; hospital library, Miss Nora McIntosh. Each member is responsible for raising a minimum of \$2 talent money before the first fall meeting. The prize for the person raising the greatest amount for the club through this "make a quarter grow" plan will be a year's free membership in the organization.

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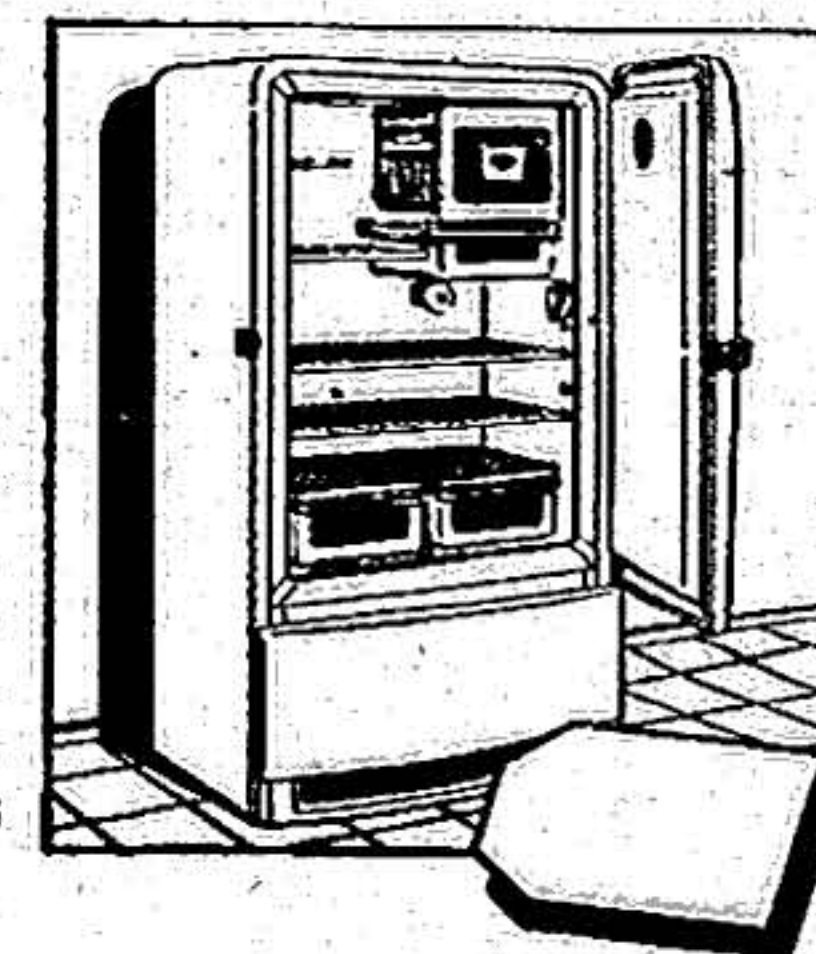
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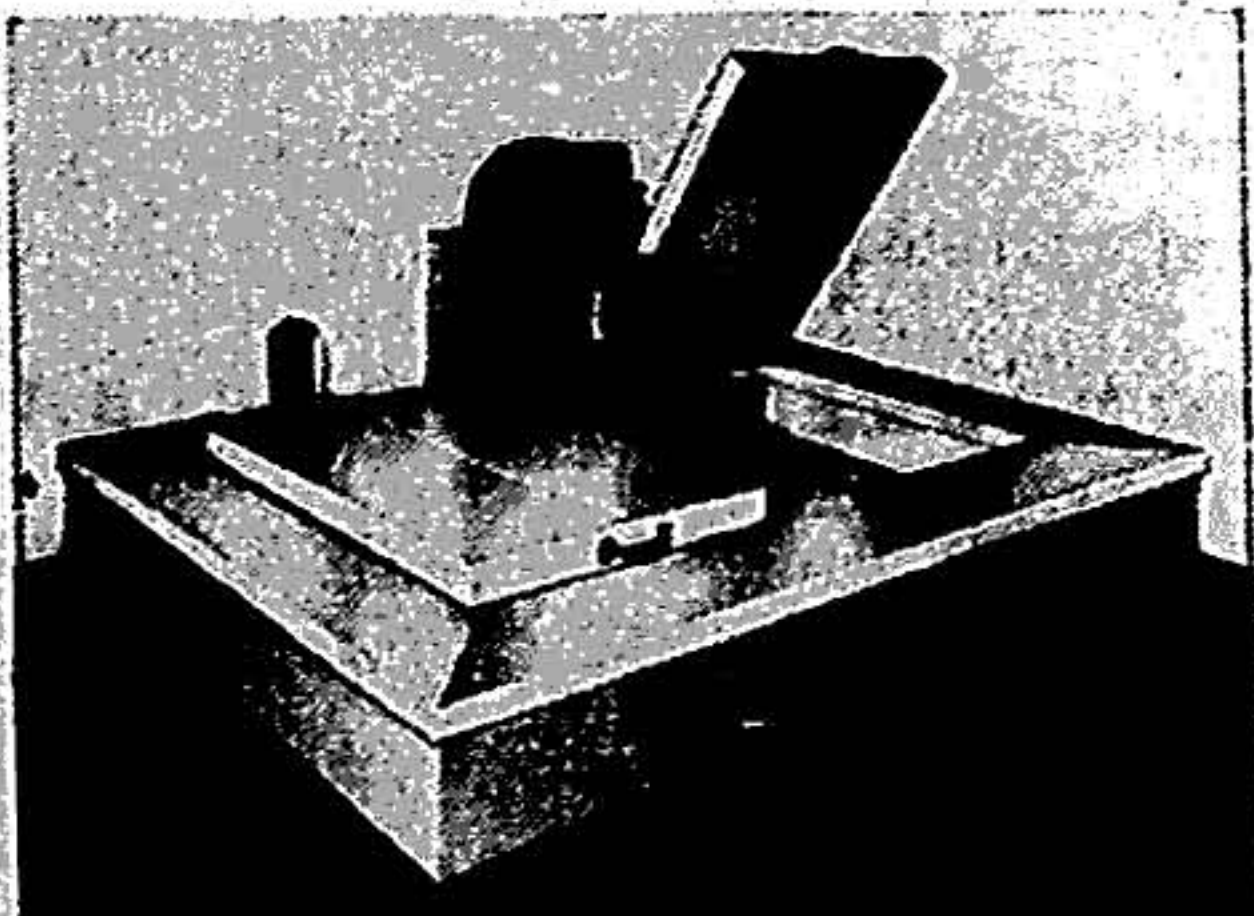
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## THIEF'S ACCOMPLICE FINDS A FRIEND



Louise Guthrie, North Bay, is shown with her pet, Peter, a bear cub she adopted after his mother was caught in the act of raiding the commissary at North Bay airport. The cub was born in hibernation and he followed his mother on her fatal foraging expedition. Apparently he bears no malice; for he has taken to his new surroundings like the proverbial duck to water. Currently he is getting his nourishment from a bottle but will soon be able to fend for himself.

## WEEKLY

### Garden graph

By DEAN HALLIDAY

Released by Central Press Canadian

Despite their sturdy appearance, peony plants are susceptible to a number of ailments. Among them are blights, stem rot, wilt, root-knot, leaf-spots and virus trouble.

This spring be on the watch for Botrytis blight which destroys young peony shoots, followed by the blighting or rotting of buds and flowers. Measures for the thorough control of this blight should have started with a clean-up of the peony bed last fall.

Protective measures can be taken now, however, including one or two applications of Bordeaux spray early in the season. Keep new foliage dusted with copper-lime dust.

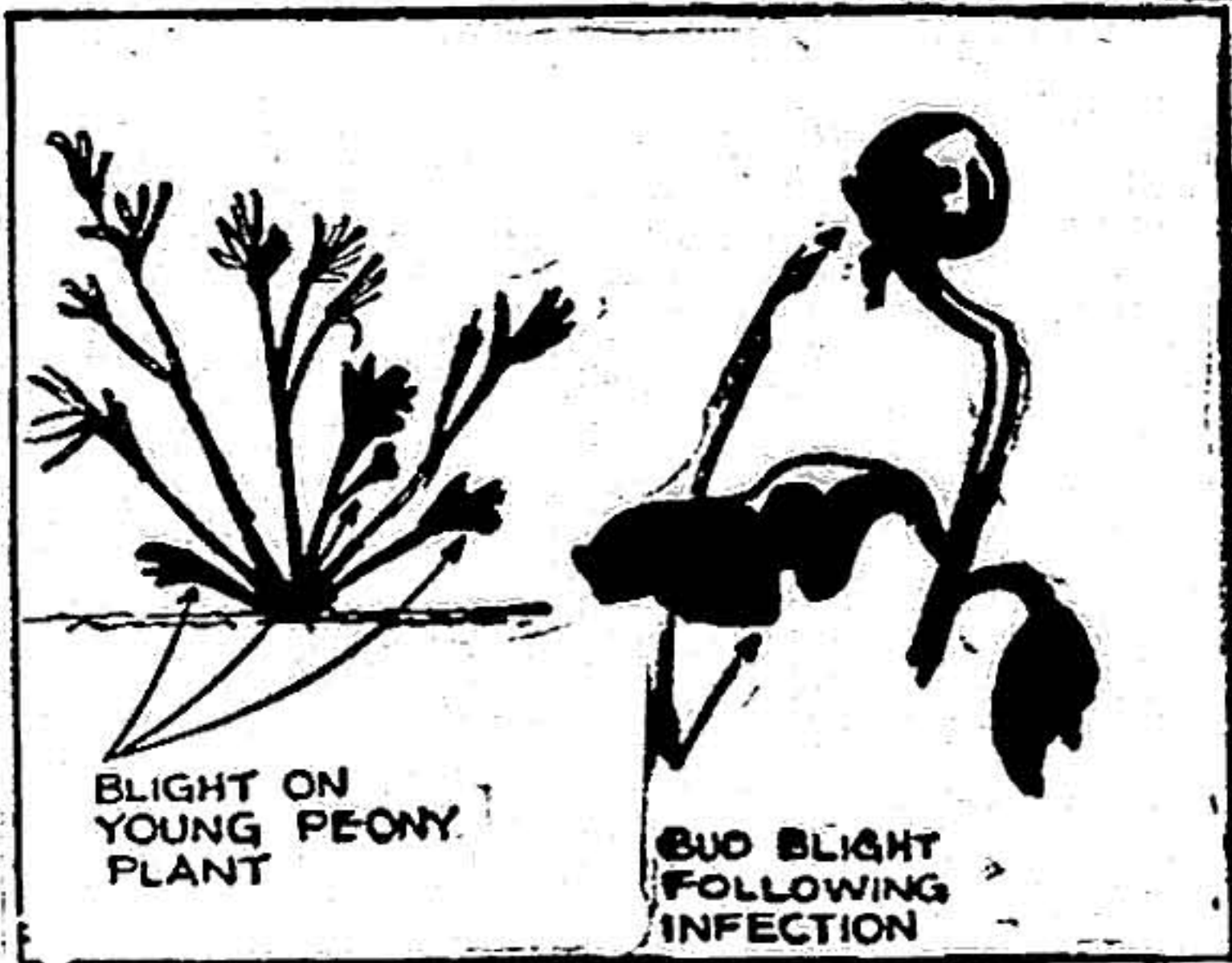
A young peony plant suffering from blight is shown in the accompanying Garden-Graph. A fungus attacks the young succulent growths and causes them to

blacken, wilt and topple over. Bug blight follows such infection as illustrated.

The fungus overwinters on infested stems and other plant debris. Rain and air currents or insects carry the fungus spores to the young buds.

A spring clean-up of all rotted or wilting shoots helps to control the blight, especially if such precaution was neglected last fall. It is also advisable to remove infected leaves, buds and flowers when discovered and destroy them.

A sugary excretion which commonly covers developing peony buds is a great attraction to ants. While climbing the stems to obtain this sweet liquid the ants may become covered with large numbers of blight spores which adhere to the sticky buds of infected plants. The travels of the ants will spread the infection.



## NEED WORKERS IN JAPAN AUXILIARY TOLD

The Evangeline Auxiliary of the W.M.S. of Trinity United church, Newmarket, held a successful Easter thank-offering meeting. Many from out of town as well as visitors from the local churches came to hear one of the outstanding missionary speakers of the United church, Miss Ella Lediard. Miss Lediard, while teaching in Newmarket, was inspired to train for missionary work in Japan and in 1916 she went as a kindergarten teacher under the W.M.S. to this far away field where she remained until 1942.

She spoke briefly of her work among the Japanese and the great need for missionaries. General MacArthur has asked for 1,000 workers to replace the army. He says that now is the time to determine whether Japan will follow communism or Christianity. She urged the parents to do their part in persuading more young people to train for this great work.

Miss Lediard was interned for six months before being repatriated. Although under strict surveillance she was never ill-treated and spent this time in her private apartment and not in a camp.

She cited many instances where we, as a Christian country, are setting a poor example, such as racial discrimination in Dresden, the treatment of the Japanese in Canada during the war and other acts of discrimination. Miss Lediard served in the Japanese camps in British Columbia from 1943 to 1949, so she had first hand information with regard to the conditions.

There is a great need for clothes and funds on all the mission frontiers. In Germany, alone, there are seven and a half million naked, starving people without a home.

Mrs. W. E. Walton presided at the meeting and Mrs. F. Hodge read the Scripture. Special Easter music was provided by Miss Jean Rose and Dr. C. S. Gilbert.

Awards to prize winners at Toronto's Royal Winter Fair use up more than four miles of ribbon.

## Two injured when cars Collide on highway

A two-car collision Sunday on the Newmarket-Sutton highway a mile and a half south of Sharon, caused serious injuries to one of the drivers.

Harry Neilson, 43, of Roche's Point, is in York County hospital with a possible broken back and chest injuries. Kay Jorgensen, a passenger in the Neilson car, was treated at the hospital for facial cuts and bruises before returning to his home at Roche's Point. Driver of the second car, Ernest Thurston of Hamilton, was not injured.

Dr. J. W. Dales attended the injured men. Chief Constable Joseph Jardine of Queensville investigated.

## Ont. weed act has 'New approach' To old problem

While a Weed Act recently passed by the Ontario Legislature, is new in every respect, the problem of weeds is by no means new. A. H. Martin, director of the crops, seeds and weeds branch, Ontario department of agriculture, stated in a radio interview.

## Weather too cold, Perch run slowed, More people than fish

There were more people than fish Sunday at the Jersey River bridge on the Newmarket-Sutton highway. Cold weather retarded the perch run, and the only pike that rose to the bait were so small they had to be thrown back in the river.

Would-be Isaac Waltons dangled their lines for hours in hopes of hauling out a worthwhile catch. E. Kenny, who runs a boat livery at the bridge, estimated that about a thousand people had come by car from Toronto and rural districts for the annual perch run.

## SHARON

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Collins and children, Saskatoon, Sask., are visiting Mrs. Collins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ramsay.

Mrs. Levi Weddel, Mr. Clarke Weddel, Mrs. M. E. Kiteley and Miss Nora Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weddel attended the funeral on Thursday of the late Mr. Charles Watson at Cookstown.

Miss Shirley Gartshore attended the Junior Farmers' conference at Guelph on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, spent the weekend with her grandfather, Mr. Wilfred Fountain.

Audrey Gartshore, Patsy Byers, Beverley Crouch, Patsy Hall and Elizabeth Newroth attended the Girl Guides meeting at Unionville on Saturday.

## MANY ATTEND CONFIRMATION SERVICE IN AURORA

A confirmation service was held at Trinity church, Aurora, Sunday, April 16. A large congregation welcomed the bishop of the diocese, the Right Rev. A. R. Beverley. Bishop Beverley became suffragan, or assistant, bishop, in 1934. During the intervening years he has become well known in his diocese. The bishop and Mrs. Beverley were able to meet many friends at the reception held in the parish hall after the confirmation.

The following confirmed their faith and received the "laying on of hands": Mary Adams, Joan Andrews, Edith Heath, Elizabeth Bryan, Stephen Mills, John Bradbury, Robert Bull, Arthur Southwood, Walter Southwood, David Angus, William Frith, Henry Schulman, Henry Selby, Alexander Shearson, William Shearson, John Trent, Melvin Kane, David Kitchen, Michael Hardman, David Gritten (Schomberg).

## 7TH CON. N.G.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wight and family attended the wedding of Mr. Wight's brother at Stouffville.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Ley spent Saturday night at Richmond Hill attending a birthday party.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Vine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Ley.

Mrs. John Hamilton has been on the sick list and we hope to see her out again.

Mr. Bailey, who has been spending the winter in Toronto, has returned to the home of his son, Mr. Ivan Bailey.

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